

## \$1,000 Offered For Information On Vandalism

A reward of \$1,000 has been offered for information leading to the apprehension of the individuals responsible for the malicious destruction that occurred in the Michigan Avenue business district and the Peninsular Avenue residential area on July 23.

Grayling City Police Chief Peter W. Stephan said that several Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce businesses have committed the money for the reward.

Stephan added that the persons providing the information do not have to identify themselves. Furthermore, he said, all information provided will be held confidential.

Information regarding the vandalism should be directed to: Grayling Chief of Police, 103 James Street, Grayling, MI, 49738, (517) 348-4601.

## Most Economical Building Site Picked For School

A solution to overcrowded classrooms will be placed before voters in the Crawford AuSable School District September 25 in the form of a combined bond issue/millage proposal to erect a new elementary school next to Grayling Elementary School.

The Classrooms For Kids Campaign Committee is developing answers and explanations to a series of commonly asked questions regarding the bond issue.

This week's question is "Why do we need a new football field? The field we have is adequate. We don't mind paying for additional classrooms, but we don't want to pay for a new field."

According to Pauline Petrosky, committee chairperson, it will cost less to move the football field and build at the Grayling Elementary/football field site than it would cost to leave the field at its present location and build a new elementary school at an out-of-town site.

The Board of Education's appointed infrastructure committee, which made the recommendation for the current proposed solution to district overcrowding, was comprised of representatives from business and industry, local government, community organizations, the PTO, the Board and the district staff. They gave serious consideration to a number of potential sites for a new elementary school and

determined that the Grayling Elementary/football field site is the best and most cost effective location for the new elementary school.

In order to construct the new building on that site, the existing football field must be moved. There is not enough space for the new building, the required outdoor play area and the football field, the committee determined.

An out-of-town site for the new school would cost a great deal more. City sewer and water and other utilities are easily accessible in town. An out-of-town site would require a sewage treatment facility estimated at \$350,000. Wells, land purchase, land clearing and preparation and access roads would add to the cost. Duplication of space to be shared by two elementary school buildings at the town site would drive the total additional cost for the out-of-town site beyond the cost of the new football field.

So, for no additional cost, the committee feels the community gains the added convenience of side-by-side buildings in the city with reduced busing costs along with safer traffic flow around the elementary site. At the same time they gain a new football and track facility located at the high school convenient for high school students with safer traffic flow and parking, better seating and improved spectator conveniences.

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## KCC's Roots Reach Deep Into County

(Editor's note: Approximately 365 Crawford County residents were enrolled in Kirtland Community College classes last year, one indication of how much the college affects our community. The following is the first in a series of articles about Kirtland Community College; its graduates, students and employees; its impact on the Crawford County community; and the cuts that are inevitable unless a Friday, September 13, millage request passes.)

Kirtland Community College is in dire financial straits, said President Dorothy N. Franke at a press conference held last April. Since then, KCC has suffered even further cuts in revenue and greater increases in expenditures.

In order to live with these financial problems, Kirtland cut almost all but fixed costs from its 1991-92 budget and laid off three faculty members and 17 support staff employees, equal to one-fifth of the college's total personnel.

Franke said, "Either we pass a millage (of 1.5 mills, being requested in an election on Friday, September 13) or Kirtland will have to continue to cut its programs and services."

Kirtland Community College programs and students are a part of Crawford County in many ways. This week features memories of two local people who were members of Kirtland's first graduating class in 1970.

### MIKE GARDINER

Mike Gardiner, who presently works as a vocational counselor at Gaylord High School, was 19 when he began taking courses at KCC. He recalls driving out to the campus for the first time with his grandparents.

"Let's see," his grandfather said as they cruised past Kirtland's present site. "There's supposed to be a college around here somewhere..."

At the time there were no buildings at all, although the college was beginning to enroll students. Gardiner says

there was something humorous about signing up for classes at a school which hadn't even been built yet.

"I also remember that, during that first semester, students used to sit in their cars between classes because there was nowhere else to go before the main building was constructed. Yet, before long, there were lots of activities to participate in. We had a Student Senate and also a newspaper called *The Phoenix*. As a matter of fact, I was the editor, which meant I was in charge of taking the paper to the printer in Mio."

"I remember, too, that we organized a semi-formal dinner dance that was held at the St. Helen Senior Citizens' Center. Really, we students had a lot of fun socially. And we had a good

time in class, too."

"I remember discussing issues with instructors like Mr. Ciucci and Mr. Ryan. The teachers helped us understand that our thoughts were as important as theirs."

Since those years, I've attended a couple universities — like Northern and Central, where I received my Master's degree — but my hardest classes were at Kirtland. I feel I received an excellent education at this college, and looking back, I also see we were treated as mature adults, and that isn't always true at other schools."

### BOB SMOCK

Bob Smock, from Grayling, who now works as director of New Life Community Services, is another graduate from Kirtland's first class. He says

campus life has changed in many ways since he was there.

"Except for the portables, there was only one building, the one that is now the Student Center. It housed the library in the center, and all the classrooms as well. There weren't a lot of activities or a lot of student services then."

"But despite those things, Kirtland was a major league stop in my life because of the education I received. If it hadn't been for Kirtland, I would never have gotten my four-year degree or my Master's (from Central)."

"I didn't have the money or the means to go to some other school back in the 60's. I'm living proof of what an education can do for you, and I'm grateful Kirtland was there for me."



**FIRST GRADUATING CLASS**--Hundreds of county residents have earned KCC degrees. Mark Hartman, shown above receiving a degree, was one of several local residents in the first graduating class in 1970.

## Low-Income Families Face Housing Shortage Here

By Irene Pettyjohn

Last winter, hardly a day went by that local and national television news programs did not focus on the plight of the homeless. Startling pictures of men, women, and children huddling in cardboard boxes or living in their cars were common place. Since the arrival of warmer weather, TV commentators have been conspicuously silent about the homeless. Can we assume by their silence that the homeless have all found homes? Probably not. More than likely, as soon as the weather turns cold again, America's homeless will once again become a regular news story.

The following article is an attempt to examine the homeless situation in Crawford County before the nights turn cold and the people in northern Michigan face another bitter winter.

Crawford County's homeless situation is sort of a good news/bad news story.

The good news is that the county does not appear to have a permanent "homeless" problem. Families are not living in the woods or city alleys in makeshift homes made out of cardboard with corrugated metal roofs because they cannot find or afford housing.

Department of Social Services Director Robert Porter and Assistance Payment Supervisor Donna O'Grady said occasionally temporary housing is needed for stranded motorists or burnt-out families, but overall, people in Crawford County have someplace they can call "home."

The bad news is that the county suffers from a critical shortage of adequate housing for people who do

not have much money. Grayling Housing Commission Director Guy Quigley estimates the county needs 70 more rental homes and apartments just to meet its immediate needs. He said too often this housing shortage forces people to live in substandard housing either because they cannot afford better or because nothing better is available.

Lengthy waiting lists for the AuSagra Acres public housing complex and the Section 8 Existing Housing Programs can mean waiting months and even years before housing is available.

AuSagra Acres, Grayling's low income public housing complex, has 88 units. Sixty-six are reserved for the elderly and handicapped, leaving only 22 units for other low and very low income individuals and families.

Quigley also operates a federal Section 8 Existing Housing Program that has 68 allocations for housing vouchers. Currently there are 32 people waiting for openings at AuSagra Acres and 78 people waiting for Section 8 vouchers. Holders of these vouchers can receive up to 70% of their rent as long as the house or apartment passes a HUD's housing standard inspection.

Quigley said both waiting lists were updated about a month ago and 92 people were removed. Thirty-seven were dropped because they had moved and did not leave a forwarding address and the other 55 were dropped because the applicants either lacked a credit or rent history or had a bad credit history.

He estimates the county needs 35 to 40 two-bedroom, 15 three-bedroom, and 15 four-bedroom units just to meet

Crawford County's immediate housing needs.

Section 8 certificates and vouchers are also available through the Michigan State Housing Development Authority (MSHDA) on Huron Street. The program is financed by the federal government and administered by the state of Michigan.

"Vouchers are becoming the norm," said MSHDA Housing Specialist Laura Purtil. "Housing is just too expensive for low income people." Purtil blames the county's housing problem on the area's low wages and no benefits employment opportunities. "We don't have a General Motors plant in Crawford County," she said.

MSHDA's certificate program pays 100% of a client's rent as long as the rent does not exceed the Fair Market

Rent (FMR) expense set by HUD. For a single parent with one child, the FMR is \$248. Purtil said finding a two bedroom home for rent in Crawford County for \$248 that will pass MSHDA inspection is nearly impossible. She said about the only places that qualify are AuSagra Acres and the Cobble Creek and Caron apartments. Cobble Creek and Caron apartments are Farm Home Administration financed apartments that adjust their rent schedules according to their tenants' "ability to pay." They have 72 one to three bedroom units.

"We're forcing people to live in public housing in order for them to qualify for rent subsidies," said Purtil.

Purtil questions HUD's method of setting fair market rent allowances.

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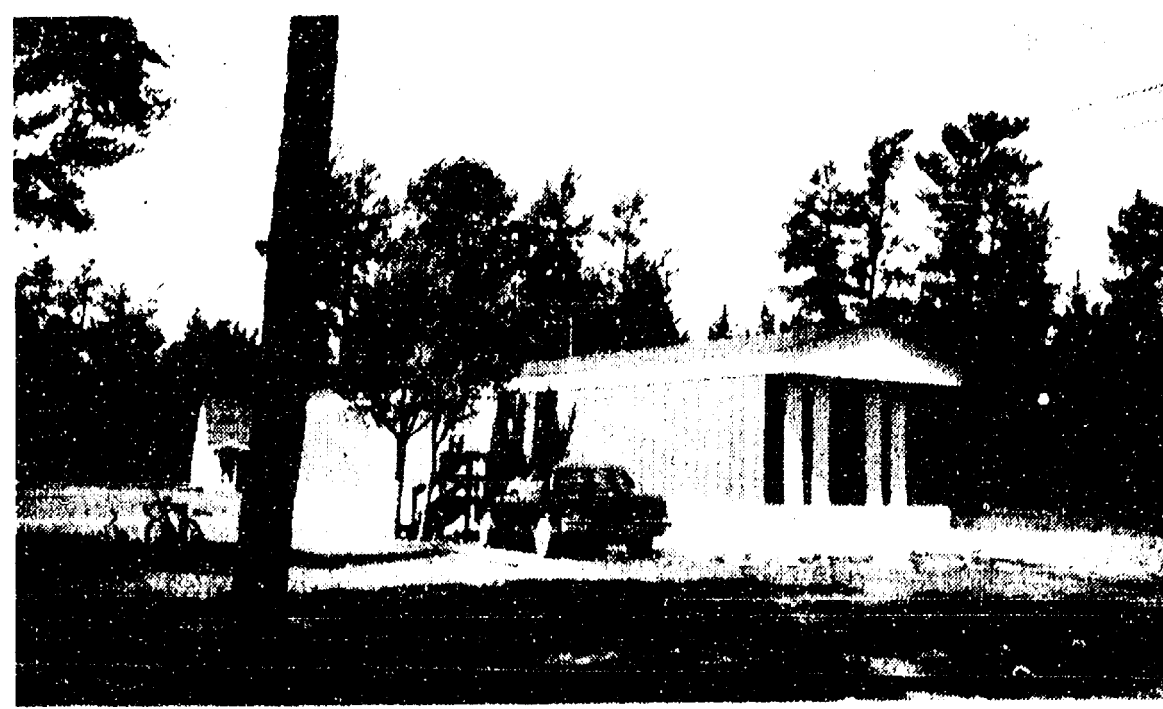
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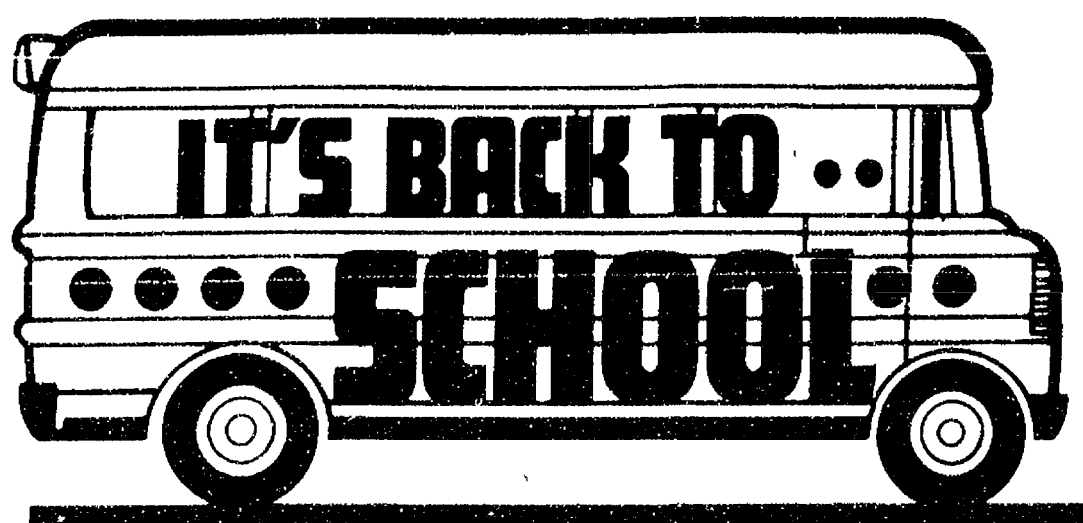


**BEFORE**—It was determined that this residence was beyond repair, so the Crawford County Housing Rehabilitation Program financed its demolition.

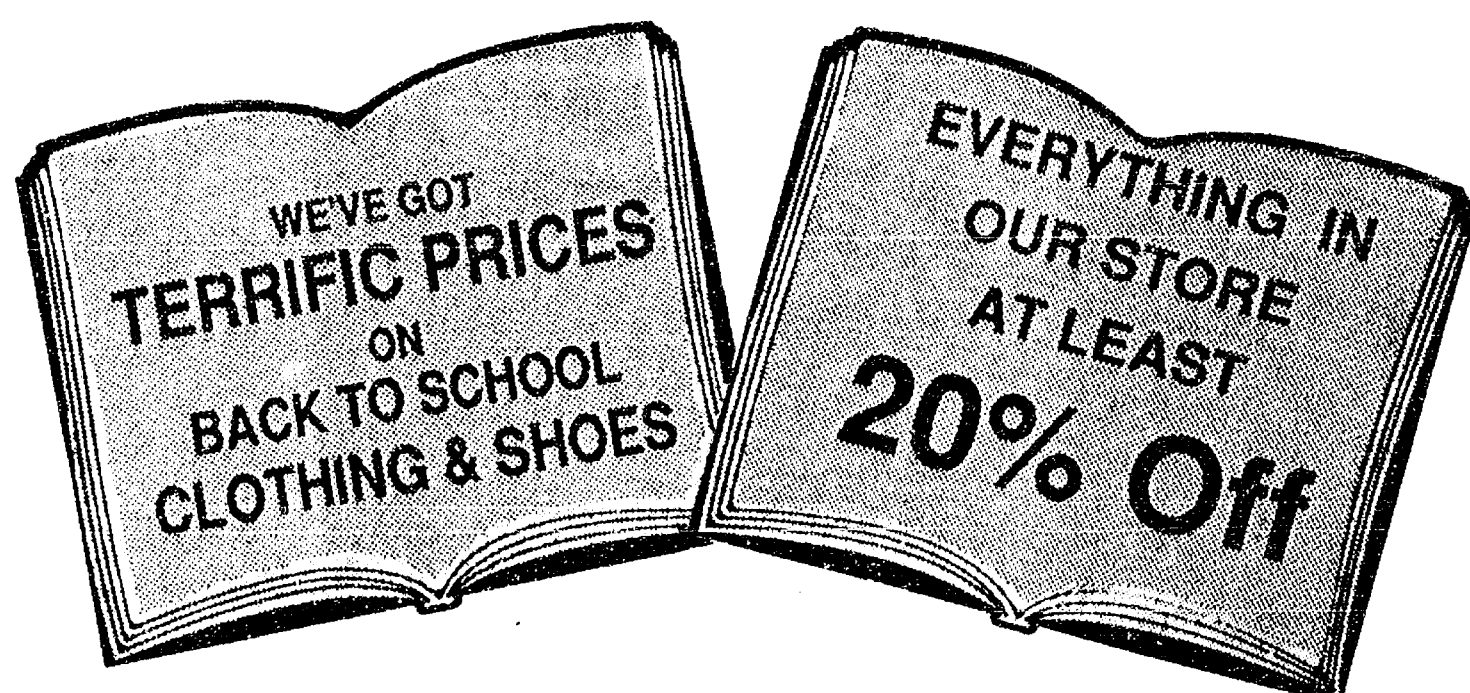


**AFTER**—The old structure was replaced with this mobile home that offers its owners a fairly maintenance free home for years to come.





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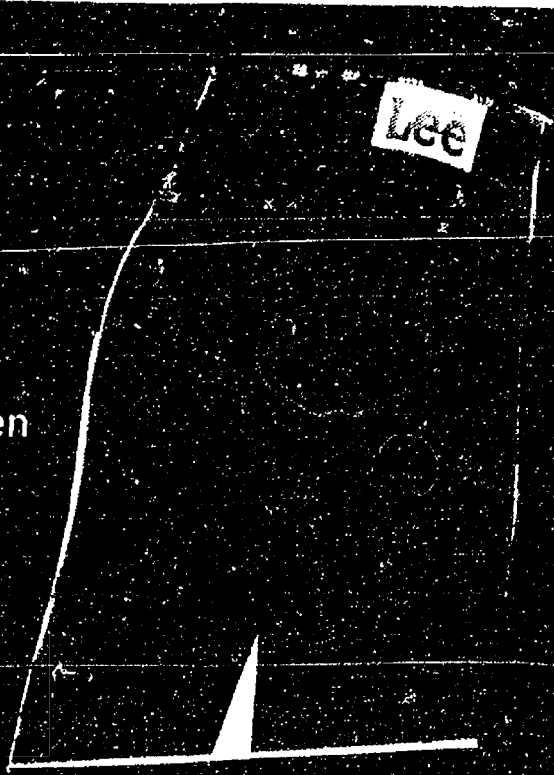
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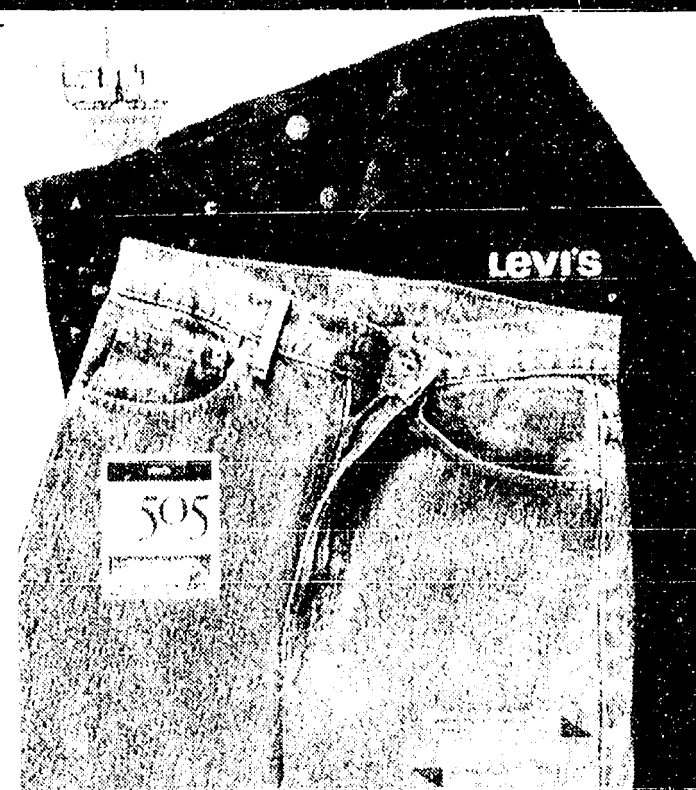
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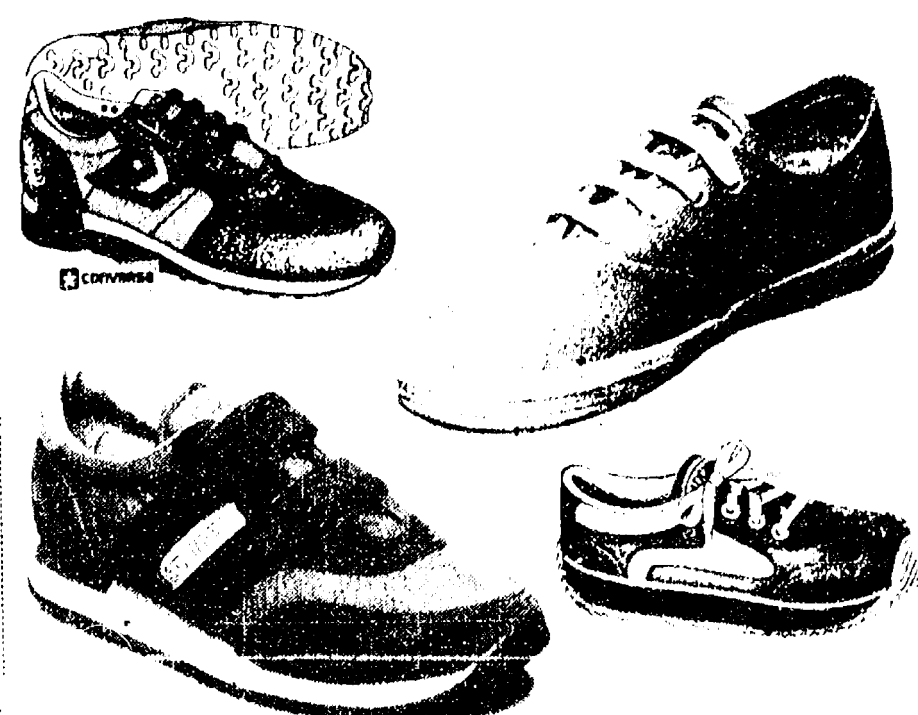
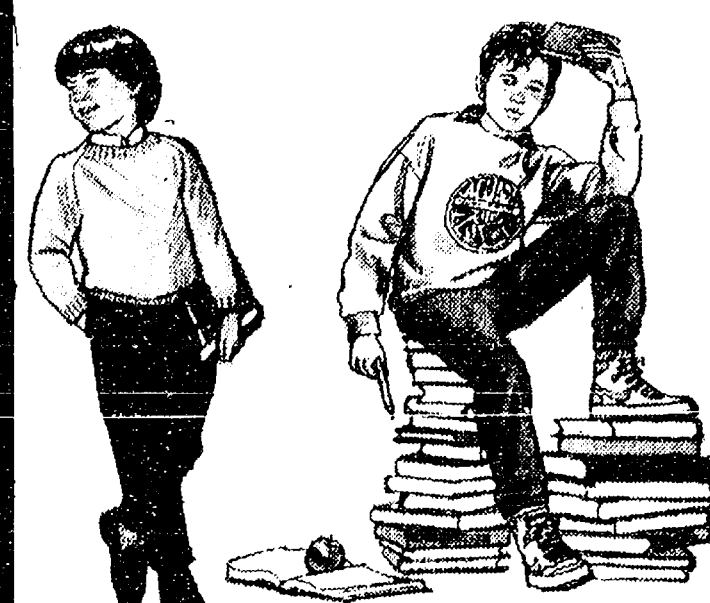
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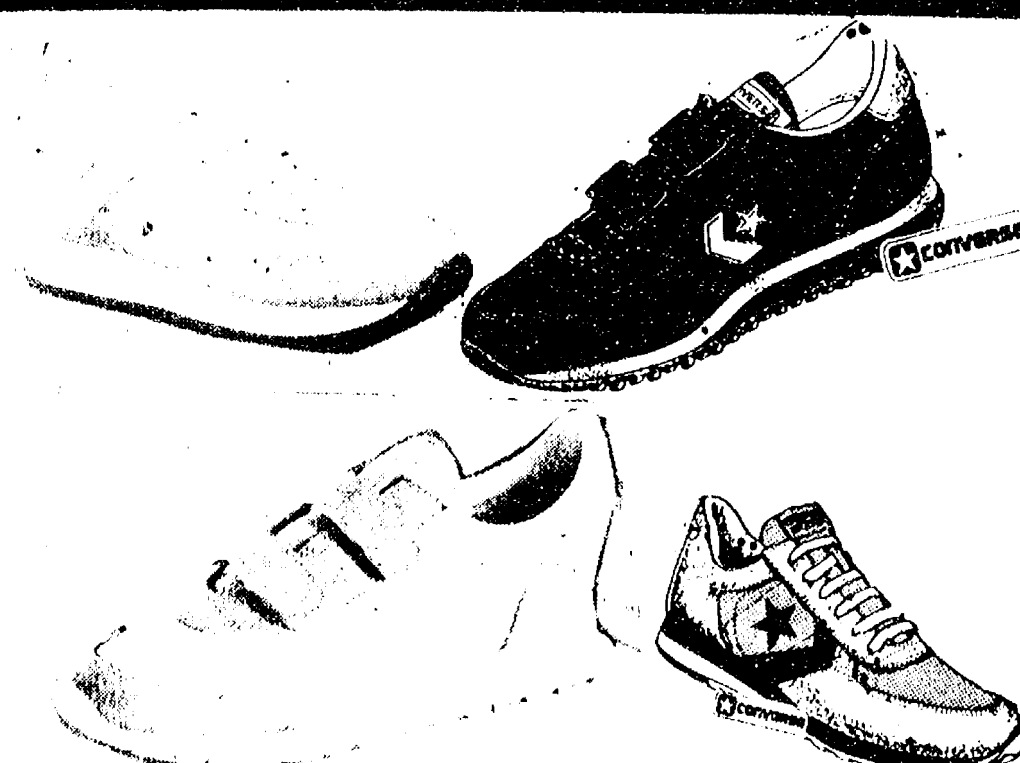
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# Housing Shortage

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She said the FMR in Kalkaska is \$86 per month higher than in Crawford County.

"I rarely have to put a voucher in Kalkaska County because the FMR is high enough to cover the cost of its housing," she said.

Purtill said lack of safe low income housing is not unique to Crawford County. She oversees MSHDA's housing program in seven northern Michigan counties and says the shortage exists in all seven counties.

O'Grady said the recent 29% reduction in the DSS's general assistance program will undoubtedly exacerbate the existing housing problem. She said some landlords reduced their rent rates several months ago when the program reduced its payments by 17%.

"I doubt they will reduce their rates again," she said.

"I've never been able to figure out how GA recipients were able to get by on what they were receiving," said Porter. "I have no idea how they are going to manage now."

## THE COUNTY'S ONLY HOMELESS

O'Grady said she believes the only truly homeless people in Crawford County are the residents of River House Shelter.

Since River House opened its doors in 1987, 1,389 women and children from Crawford, Oscoda, Ogemaw and Roscommon counties have been assisted. The highest number came from Crawford County, 161 women and 253 children, for a total of 415.

The county's lack of low income affordable housing is a very real problem for River House Shelter administrators, Fern Farber, director, and Jean Umlor, assistant client advocate.

"Most of the people we service are on ADC and are on extremely limited budgets," said Farber. She said it is not uncommon for women and their children to escape their abusive situations in the middle of the night, arriving at the shelter in their night clothes.

Umlor said the volume of need for safe, affordable housing far exceeds what is available. She explained that the need for housing is so great that landlords can charge what they like and people have no choice but to pay the going rate. Farber said there are a few landlords in Crawford and Roscommon counties who cooperate with the River Shelter staff.

River House is reimbursed by DSS for each resident for up to one month, but Farber said the only way women can stay at the shelter longer is if it can be proven that they are in danger with no place else to go. If there is a friend or family member willing to take them in, they must leave the shelter. Because many of these women come from dysfunctional families, Farber said "going home" can mean returning to another bad situation.

"The lack of safe affordable housing forces women to leave the area, accept substandard housing, or return to the abusive situation they had just fled from," Farber said. "After being battered by their husbands, they are battered by the system," she said. "Some decide it is better to go back

and be battered than to be homeless."

In 1989, Grayling Mercy Hospital conducted a nine county Community Assessment of Human Needs survey. Community leaders, service agencies, and low income people were interviewed and the lack of safe and affordable low income housing was third on their list of concerns. Jobs with a living wage and benefits was first, followed by health care for uninsured and underinsured. Umlor said a recent survey conducted by Northwest Michigan Human Services Agency showed safe affordable low income housing the number one concern.

## COUNTY'S EFFORT TO RELIEVE HOUSING SHORTAGE

Crawford County Housing Commission (CCHC) Director Jeannine Eggert and Housing Specialist Gary Johnson are both aware of the shortage of quality low income housing.

"The quality of some rental units available in Crawford County is definitely sub-standard," said Eggert, "but our office has been working for the past two years with 22 landlords to help them bring their units to basic housing quality standards."

Completion of three of the 22 projects created 11 new rental units. These included renovation of the old Assembly of God Church on Elm Street, an apartment house on Alger Street, and three apartments located above the Farm Bureau Office on James Street. Grant monies received in these projects do not have to be repaid as long as the properties remain rental units or until the properties are sold.

Since 1989, Eggert said \$146,975 in rehabilitation matching fund grants have been awarded to local landlords.

CCHC has been working for 2 1/2 years to form a county Public Housing Authority (PHA) that, if recognized by HUD, could make Crawford County eligible for future low income public housing funds.

"These housing units would be located in the various townships throughout the county," said Johnson. He said these projects could include several four to six unit "fresh air complexes" constructed in several locations, a 30 unit apartment at the edge of town, or ten to 15 modular homes located along a road, each with its own well and septic system.

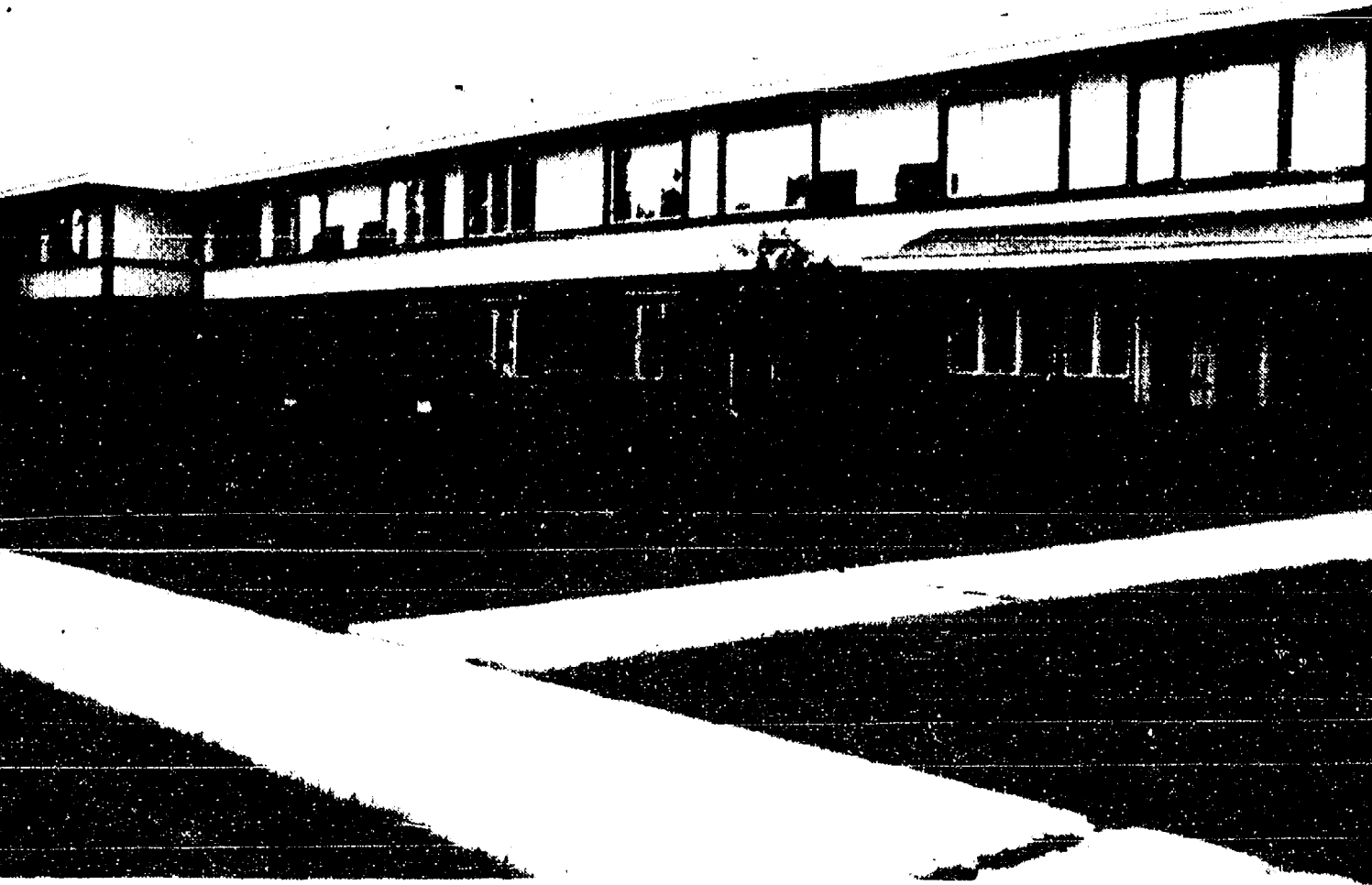
Eggert said the county housing commission board is interested in continuing with rehabilitation work only, but gave Eggert and Johnson the go ahead to pursue formulation of a PHA. The board indicated it favors the creation of a separate board to oversee the development and operation of the new PHA.

Since 1976, the county has received 14 rehabilitation grants, making it possible to upgrade 330 homes to basic minimum maintenance codes. Since 1980, \$1.4 million has been spent in Crawford County for home improvement projects. Some of these improvements include window replacement, roofs, insulation, electrical, plumbing, and siding. The grants vary from a few thousand dollars to \$20,000 and are available to area homeowners who meet HUD's statewide income guidelines.

CCHC will soon be submitting a grant application for \$200,000 that will include a home ownership assistance program for first time home buyers. This program is designed to help young families who can afford their rent, but cannot save enough for a down payment. Eggert said about \$50,000 will be set aside for this program and should help about 10 families purchase their first homes during the next two years. She said similar programs for first time home buyers will probably increase in the future.

## OTHER AGENCIES PITCH IN TOO

Northeast Michigan Community Services Agency (NEMCSA), in Alpena, offers a program that grants up to \$1,600 per application for weatherization of area homes. In 1991, NEMCSA expects to invest approximately \$19,200 in 12 local homes. Weatherization includes energy conservation measures such as: the insulation of hot water heaters, hot water pipes, attics, floors, and walls, and caulking and glazing of windows and foundations. The goal of the program is to help make people warmer in their homes and to save energy.



**LOW INCOME HOUSING**—This AuSagra Acres apartment complex is reserved for handicapped, disabled, and senior citizens who qualify under a "very low income" criteria. Sixty-six units are reserved for low income senior citizens and handicapped individuals and 22 are for low income families.

# Pedestrian Injured On Business Loop 5 Persons Injured In Car Roll-over

Susan Ann McCormick, 22, of Traverse City, was injured on Thursday, August 8, when she was struck by a car, driven by Jayson Scott Welser, 21, of Grayling.

The accident occurred at 3:33 p.m. as McCormick was crossing the I-75 Business Loop near Rochette's Party Store. Welser was on Ogemaw Street, attempting to cross the business loop when his car struck McCormick. She was taken to Mercy Hospital where she was treated and released.

McCormick said she was crossing the roadway and thought the driver of

the vehicle was going to turn. Welser said he intended to drive straight across the business loop and did not see the pedestrian until just before hitting her.

Ralph Oppermann, 23, of Grayling, was a passenger in Welser's vehicle.

City Chief of Police Peter Stephan said citations were not issued, but that Welser was charged with being responsible for the accident. It was also determined that both parties contributed to the accident, Welser for failure to stop within an assured clear distance and McCormick for failure to use due care and caution.

A single car accident on Townline Road, near the intersection of F-97 (Lovells Road), sent five persons to Mercy Hospital on Saturday, August 10.

Frederick Edward Grzelak, 42, from Shelby Township, was driving eastbound on Townline at 12:56 p.m. when he lost traction on the loose road surface, causing the vehicle to fishtail

and finally rolled over onto the vehicle's roof in the south ditch. Passengers in the vehicle included Jason Grzelak, 15; James Miller, 17; and Jeffrey Grzelak, 17, all of Shelby Township; and Jordan Vassallo, 15, of Mt. Clemens. The injured were transported to the hospital via private vehicles where they were treated and released. No citations were issued.

## Crawford County Sheriff Department

Week of 8/5/91 to 8/11/91	
Abandoned Vehicle	0
Accidents	
Car/Deer	3
Off Road Vehicle	1
Personal Injury Accident	1
Property Damage Accident	7
Alarms	3
Ambulance Runs	8
Animal Control Complaints	1
Assaults	3
Assist	
City Police	8
General	1
Motorist	1
DNR	2
Other Agencies	3
Attempt to Locate (Specific)	1
Bad Checks	0
Be on the Look Out (General)	0
Breaking/Entering	5
Breathalyzer Test	0
Check Law Violation	5
Child Abuse	0
Civil/Domestic	4
Conservation	0
Contributing To Delinquency of Minors	0
Criminal Sexual Conduct	0
Disorderly Person	1
Driving While License is Suspended	0
Drowning	0
Failure To Pay	0
Fire	
Forest	0
Grass	1
Structure	1
Vehicle	1
Fleeing & Eluding	0
Found Property	0
Fraud	0
Harassment	0
Hazardous Situation	1
Indecent Exposure	2
Juvenile Delinquent	1
Larceny	2
Littering	0
Malicious Destruction of Property	1
Marine Complaint	0
Mental	1
Missing Person	1
Noise Complaint	1
Open Intoxicants	1
Operating Under the Influence of Liquor	3
ORV Complaint	1
Public Peace	4
Reckless Driving	0
Recovered Stolen Property	0
Stolen Vehicle	0
Suspicious Situation	11
Traffic	6
Trespassing	1
Vandalism	0
Vehicle Inspection	0
Warrant Arrest	3
Total Number of Complaints	93

## Frederic EMT Retrieves Body

Ken Lademan, EMT with the Frederic Township Ambulance, was at K.P. Lake on August 3 and, after spotting Elizabeth Wheatley's body in about 15 to 20 feet of water, dove from a nearby boat and retrieved her body.

Wheatley had drowned as a result of a boating accident earlier. Her husband Clifford, who was also in the boat, survived after their small fishing boat capsized.

The elderly couple was from Romeo.

Officers from the Crawford County Sheriff Dept.'s marine and road patrols and EMTs from North Flight EMS and the Frederic Township Ambulance were also at the scene.

## City of Grayling Police Department

Week of 8/5/91 to 8/11/91	
Accidents	
Property Damage Accident	3
Personal Injury Accident	1
Private Property Accident	3
Alarm Response	2
Ambulance Response	0
Assault	0
Assist Other Departments	2
Attempt To Locate	0
Breaking/Entering	0
Breathalyzer Test	0
Check Law Violation	4
Civil Ordinance Violation	3
Civil Infraction	5
Court Duty	0
Criminal Sexual Conduct	0
Domestic	3
Felony Arrest	0
Fire Response	0
Forgery	0
Juvenile	1
Larceny	7
Liquor Violation	0
Malicious Destruction of Property	1
Misdemeanor Arrest	3
Misdemeanor Citation	1
Motorist Assist	7
Non-Classified Complaints	26
Operating Under the Influence of Liquor	0
Traffic Control	2
Traffic Warnings	13
Unauthorized Driving Away of an Automobile	0
Patrol Mileage	951
Total Number of Complaints	72
Total Incidents	91
Mal. Property Value	\$742.97
Mal. Dest. of Property Value	\$0.00
Total Dollar Loss	\$0.00
Recovered Property Value	\$792.97

## Green Wins Drawing

Jeff Green was the winner of last week's Lions Club Lucky-13 drawing.

## Illinois Guard Arrives For '91 Annual Training

Nearly 3,000 members of the Illinois Army National Guard's 33rd Infantry Brigade and Troop Command Brigade arrived at Camp Grayling for this year's Annual Training on Saturday, August 10. The units, which include infantry, aviation, field support, and artillery components will train for the next two weeks. Brigade training will consist of all aspects of light infantry tactics such as mortar and artillery fire, day and night simulated attack exercises, and troop field maneuvers, involving "enemy" ground forces.

The main body of troops arrived Saturday afternoon in several massive convoys. Headquarters for the 33rd Brigade is in Chicago, however, the units, battalions, and separate companies are located in the city and surrounding communities.

When the soldiers arrived, they

moved directly to field locations where they will train for the next nine days, then leave the field for main post to clean and prepare equipment for the return to their home armories on Friday, August 23rd.

On Thursday, August 15th, the Illinois Guard units will host a V.I.P. tour for about 80 business and community leaders from Chicago and Springfield. The purpose of the tour is to provide a firsthand look at the troops in action and to gain support for guard and reserve programs. Major General Harold G. Holsinger, the Adjutant General of Illinois will accompany the visitors.

The 33rd Brigade is commanded by Brigadier General Philip M. Becker. Troop Command Brigade is under the command of Colonel Paul Gebhardt.

## Surplus Food To Be Distributed August 20 at Eagles Club

Surplus food will be distributed Tuesday, August 20, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Eagles Club, M-72 East.

The surplus food is given away free to people with low incomes. To receive

these commodities, a person must present a certification card or verification of income. For more information call 348-7871. Please do not call the Eagles Club.

## Local Weather

Courtesy of the City of Grayling

Date	High	Low	Rain
8/6	76	44	
8/7	79	46	
8/8	75	52	
8/9	79	47	
8/10	80	51	0.05
8/11	82	52	
8/12	85	47	

Extended forecast courtesy of the U. S. Weather Service in Houghton Lake:

Wednesday will be mostly sunny with the highs in the mid 80s. Thursday and Friday will be dry. Saturday there will be a chance of thunderstorms. Highs will be in the 80s and the lows in the 60s.

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## Letters To The Editor

# Doctor Pleased With CASD Health Screening; Offers Further Advice To Athletes' Parents

In recent years there has been a flurry of media coverage involving sudden death in young healthy athletes. Occasionally an obvious cause can be found, such as drug abuse, but other times all signs implicate an undiagnosed heart condition. Occasionally these children had been recently seen by the family doctor, podiatrist, or had participated in a school-sponsored sport physical screening program.

It is disturbing when such a dangerous problem cannot be detected before a fatal outcome occurs; however, the plain facts of the matter according to statistical analysis are that one child in 500,000 will have a serious heart condition that may result in death and cannot be detected through routine medical evaluation.

In the past few years various experts and official organizations have

compiled information and made recommendations as to exactly how screening should be carried out in connection with high school and college-aged athletes. These guidelines have been published by the American Academy of Pediatrics and American College of Sports Medicine.

I recently had the privilege of organizing and directing the school-sponsored screening process for Crawford AuSable Schools in Grayling. In a single evening we were able to effectively screen over 400 school-aged children using these guidelines. This was a more complicated screening process than has ever been attempted in Crawford County in prior years. It was offered free of charge and the response was tremendous. We had anticipated a maximum of 300 students and had between 400 and 500 show up. Six

other physicians and I, along with three nurses and many members of the school system, utilized these guidelines that evening.

I was pleased that we were able to find three children with potentially serious heart problems that are currently being evaluated and approximately 30 children with more minor problems, particularly elevated blood pressures at a young age. All of these children are being followed up by their family doctor or through the pediatric clinic in Grayling. If you are one of the parents whose child was screened and found to have a problem and a recommendation for further care was made, please don't take this lightly. This may be one of the best ways to ensure extra years of good health for your child later in life.

The cost of this program was minimal except for the amount of volunteer time which was incredible. As a pediatrician it was gratifying to me to uncover so many potentially serious problems before any harm occurred. Unfortunately, there is still a very slight chance that one of our

students could have a catastrophic outcome. I cannot reduce the chances further than one in 500,000 with the current technology available. As a parent, if you have any questions concerning your child's health in connection with school sports activities, please have them evaluated by their family doctor.

I believe the entire community owes a vote of thanks to Grayling Mercy Hospital and the Crawford AuSable school system along with the doctors and nurses for doing such a fantastic job for our young boys and girls.

Douglas H. Slater, M.D.  
Lewiston, MI

## Let's Talk About It

By Joe Murphy

I have had a lot of nice people ask me to continue to write my columns, so with an apology to the folks who were happy to see it end, I will continue to waste good newsprint with my efforts. In fact, Alice Madsen — that grand lady of Crawford County's woods and waters — gave me a direct order not to quit. Now Alice, who might be better known to friends and family as Aunt Susie, packs a lot of authority with me. I recall back about 42 years ago we both worked helping her niece Madlyn and my brother prepare the place where they were caretakers for the summer season. I really enjoyed our lunch hour, for Susie, after she had teased me about the dimple on my chin, often talked about her early life.

Alice (Wakeley) Madsen is the daughter of Arthur Wakeley, who had been one of the early settlers on the river. She learned her hunting and fishing skills in the days when they were needed to provide food for the family table. A mess of fish or a couple of birds or rabbits was a meal for the family and was much needed in those days. In fact, I recall seeing a picture of Susie in the Avalanche a few years ago with a nice eight-point buck she had killed when she was well up in her 70s.

I went out today and talked to this fine lady and she told me the story of that buck. It seems she was up on the roof of her home making some repairs

when she saw the buck. She got off the roof when the buck ran into the nearby swamp. She put on her hunting clothes intending to try to waylay him somewhere but when she went outside the buck reappeared where he had been and she shot him. Also a bear took a short cut by climbing in one end of her porch and exiting out the other end a few years ago.

That's why I call her the grand lady of our woods and waters. She has spent most of her life close to nature. I know Susie, like her niece Madlyn, was not a woman you had to lead around by the hand when they got in the woods like a lot of lady hunters.

Aunt Susie, I really enjoyed talking with you today and now that I know how to find you, keep the coffee hot, for I intend to stop often.

When I wrote the letter about quitting my column my back was out and just breathing was painful. I began to dread the chore of sitting down at my desk and trying to come up with material for my column. I thought, why bother, it is doubtful anyone reads it anyway. The number of folks who have commented that they enjoyed my work came as a welcome surprise to me. If you nice folks want me to continue to take those walks down memory lane and write about what I find there, I will be happy to do it.

## Avalanche Deadlines

Community news items submitted to the Avalanche must be turned in to the office by Monday noon, to appear in our Wednesday issue. Letters to the Editor and photographs must be turned in by Friday noon to be considered for the next issue.

News items and letters should be submitted on 8 1/2-by-11-inch paper,

typed, and double-spaced. Handwritten items must also have ample space between each line; on lined paper please use every other line.

The opinions expressed in the letters and columns on this page are solely those of the writer and do not reflect the views of the Crawford County Avalanche.

## Notes From The Woods

By Nancy Lemmen

I'll be honest. Initially, I didn't want to move to Grayling. When my husband and I moved from a small mid-Michigan college town in 1976, we set our sights on a city along the shores of Lake Michigan.

I grew up in Big Rapids, a hour's drive from the magnificent lake on the state's western edge. On as many sunny summer days as my friends and I could get off work, we would drive to Ludington to spend the day at the beach.

Armed with our beach towels, Johnson & Johnson baby oil (the only concession we made to our poor bodies as we exposed them for hours to the sun), a cooler full of pop and a bucket of Kentucky Fried Chicken, we set up day camps before noon on solitary sand beaches just off Highway 31,

where the water glistened jewel-like in various shades of blue and green. We would lie there for hours, occasionally raising ourselves to jump and play and swim in the waves of the big lake.

We broke camps in late afternoon—after our sunburns were well-developed—as the sun's path through the lower sky caused the water to take on the appearance of hard rock candy. On those days—and sunburns not withstanding—it was an idyllic existence for a teenager.

It was also close to the existence I envisioned for myself as an adult.

### UP NORTH

And so it was, as Dave and I both resigned from our positions at the college—he as a sociology instructor and I as a residence hall director—that we used our spring vacation and early summer days to hunt jobs “up north,” but always along the shores of Lake Michigan.

Dave's goals for moving were different from mine. He did not seek the beach, the water, the sun. He sought the rivers and lakes where he could fish for lake trout, white fish and salmon. He wanted the woods and forests where he could stalk deer, grouse and woodcock.

We were young and we agreed on two things. We would take any jobs—even those for which we were over-qualified—as long as we could live up north. And—as weeks of job hunting increased our desperation—we would move to wherever the first one of us received an offer.

We confined our search to cities as far south as Frankfort and moved up the coast to Traverse City, as far inland as Kalkaska, and up to Elk Rapids, Central Lake, Ellsworth, Charlevoix and, finally, Petoskey.

I hunted for a teaching job; Dave was open to any number of positions that could be fulfilled by a sociology major.

This was the 1970s and teaching jobs were scarce. I remember the job-hunting process as one of my life's less pleasant experiences. Nights of revising resumes and typing cover letters on my old manual typewriter; days of driving from school to school, trying to get past secretaries to be told by principals and superintendents that no, there weren't any openings in their districts.

It was already mid-July when I followed up an application letter to Central Lake Schools with a visit to the principal. Several days later they offered me a one-year maternity leave opening in the English Department.

I accepted. Dave and I rented a

## Opinions

# Reader Questions Stop Sign Locations

Why is it that some intersections in the City of Grayling have no stop signs or for that matter yield signs? And yet there are some intersections with three or four way stops? On Vine Street alone, from I-75 Business Loop to North Down River Road, there are four or five intersections with no stop or yield signs. And at most of these intersections there is a blind spot from seeing oncoming traffic. Be it big trees, bushes, or fences.

Does anyone know how many accidents happen on these intersections? And when one does happen the police say that no one is at fault cause there were no signs. And it's word against word on who entered the intersection first. So who decides when to put a sign up? Does someone have to be seriously hurt or even killed to have something done?

Sharon Klee  
Grayling

# Reader Says AuSable Dangerous In Stretch Above Salling Dam

This isn't a well traveled part of the AuSable and they were expecting a few fallen trees, or maybe a new obstruction. But they were not aware of the real life threatening nightmare between the old M and E bridge and Salling Dam.

Once you were into that stretch of river or rather nonexistent river, you were trapped. The canoe could not float through and what surrounds you is 100 yards or more on both sides is black bottomless muck.

Getting out of the canoe to try to pull it through got you instantly into neck deep muck equivalent to quicksand, and there were branches under this muck to scratch, cut, entangle and try to suck you under.

There are no homes with people for help and much distance between you and hard ground.

Some will say we should have checked out this area before the trip. We had read earlier that there would not be a significant change in the flow of river, because of the lowering of the dam, for a year. But nevertheless this area should have a warning posting.

Five adults could have easily lost their lives and thought they were going to.

Please stay off that stretch of the AuSable. What was once a beautiful part of the AuSable is now very dangerous and ugly.

Helen Crawford  
Grayling

## Almanack

Richard Millman

# Oregon tries new school approach

**KEEP AN EYE ON** Oregon — or more specifically, students in Oregon schools. Things are going to change during the next 20 years.

The Oregon legislature has adopted a new educational program for Oregon, which eventually could abolish the traditional high school system.

Under the Oregon program, all students would continue much as at present through the 10th grade. Then there would be a choice — either college preparatory courses, or vocational training.

The Oregon plan also would do away with the grade structure from kindergarten through third grade, and group students by abilities rather than age.

The plan includes a series of basic skills exams that lead to a “certificate of mastery” for 10th graders. Those who don't pass the first time keep trying, after remedial help. With the certificate in hand, the choice by the student is then for college training or vocational training.

The Oregon program is a variation on the European school system, where test scores determine who attends college.

**THERE ARE CRITICS**, of course. The Oregon plan has been attacked as elitist, because the eventual fate of a student may be determined by social and economic

status.

“The sad thing is,” commented Rep. Tom Mason, an opponent, “that it will be the poor and the members of the minority classes that will end up going to vocational school.”

Another problem is money. Eventual cost of the Oregon plan is estimated at \$2.5 billion. This year's lawmakers committed \$2 million to get it going. The program is called “The Oregon Educational Act for the 21st Century.” Some aspects of the reforms will take 20 years or so to become implemented fully.

Oregon has acted upon an intriguing idea. Most state and local politicians talk about educational reform, but very few ideas for change as sweeping as the Oregon program ever pop up. Maybe they should.

Legislators in Washington and New York states are working on proposals similar to Oregon's.

People are cut from different molds. Their abilities differ. So do their needs. Maybe local schools should treat them differently. Oregon may be on to something big. This idea — or variations on it — deserve a serious look.

**CHEVY OR GOAT** — William Raspberry, nationally syndicated columnist, came up with one of the more delightful analogies in discussing the appointment of Judge Clarence Thomas to the Supreme Court.

The Thomas appointment has caused a great deal of consternation among political liberals, especially black political liberals. Most national writers have addressed the Thomas question, some several times. Mr. Raspberry is no exception. Here is one of his conclusions:

“Given an unfettered choice, I'd opt for a liberal whose bona fides include a history of concern for the underdog.”

“But the choice isn't unfettered. We're playing ‘Let's Make a Deal’ with a host who offers us a choice between a serviceable Chevrolet and a goat, and we're holding out for a certain that conceals (we hope) a Mercedes Benz with an interior designed by Thurgood Marshall.”

“Well, there's no Benz behind any of the curtains. If we're not prepared to deal with the goat, we'd better take the Chevy.”

**COLUMN CLOSERS** — Some column closing Nuts and Jolts from Hod Shewell:

—A born loser is a guy who gets a speeding ticket trying to get to church on time.

—Food for thought these days is the size of your grocery bill.

—Horse sense is what keeps horses from betting on people.

—One sure way to lose your shirt is to put too much on the cuff.

—A birthday is one day when all little people are big people.



## Mercy Memo

By Mary Jo Conway

Understandably, questions, comments, and rumors have been prevalent throughout the past two weeks as to the status of Mercy Hospital. Why? In case you missed it, a notice appeared in the August 1 edition of the *Avalanche* which stated that effective August 29, Mercy Hospital in Grayling would not receive payments from Medicare. The notice was paid for by the Health Care Financing Administration (HCFA), a federal regulatory agency under the Department of Health and Human Services that approves hospitals for Medicare participation.

We received information that a "legal notice" would appear in the newspaper advising the community that our Medicare participation would be terminated if we did not correct certain specified deficiencies. We informed our employees, physicians, and volunteers beforehand, and explained the situation. When the newspaper was published we were frustrated with the contents of the ad because it did not tell the whole story.

The newspaper notice was definite... that as of August 29, 1991, Medicare would not make payment for inpatient hospital services. Why? Deficiencies in the "physical environment."

Let's go back to May 1991 when the Michigan Department of Public Health (MDPH) was here to conduct a survey of Mercy Hospital. The survey team's

job is to look for items that need correction, or as they call them, "deficiencies." It's important to note that no hospital is perfect. "Deficiencies" are found in virtually every survey of every hospital. Mercy was no exception. MDPH advised us that the "deficiencies" needed correction but that none would affect our licensure to operate a hospital in Michigan.

Mercy was instructed to submit a plan of action to correct the deficiencies. We did so—a thorough and complete plan of correction.

Late in July HCFA sent us a letter stating that after review of the MDPH survey, it was their opinion that our hospital didn't meet the "physical environment" requirement for Medicare participation. "The date on which your agreement terminates is August 29, 1991," the letter said.

The next paragraph of the same letter, however, tells the rest of the story.

"If you believe that the deficiencies have been corrected, you may submit a credible allegation of compliance to this office. However, in order to avoid termination, correction of the deficiencies must be verified by the State agency (MDPH) prior to the termination date..."

What HCFA is saying is that yes, our Medicare participation would be

threatened if we don't correct the deficiencies. But if we corrected the "deficiencies" to the satisfaction of MDPH and HCFA we could avoid termination.

The paid advertisement didn't include that portion of their letter. It didn't state that we were being resurveyed in August, and if the deficiencies were corrected, nothing would change. We believe the notice was premature, incomplete, and unfair to the Medicare population we serve.

Our staff has been working at correcting the deficiencies in preparation for the resurvey this month. HCFA has accepted our corrective action plan. It is our anticipation and certainly our hope that the resurvey will go smoothly. We have no reason to believe that it won't. We have asked HCFA to render a decision prior to August 29, so that we may share that information with you, our reader, our patient.

In the meantime, please understand that Mercy Hospital will be here for you when you need us. We've been serving patients in our area for over 80 years. We've been through many crises in the past and have overcome every one of them. We're ready for the challenge... but most important, we're ready for the MDPH survey team. The staff at Mercy Hospital wants you to know that. We appreciate your support.

## Frederic News

Adam and Sarah Kaiser, children of Bert and Penny Kaiser, have been working hard to make Frederic proud.

On July 18 at the Crawford County Fair, Adam, age 6, won 1st place in the 5-12 age group, by doing a rhyme-rap and Sarah won 2nd place by singing "The Glory of Love."

Next, on August 6, they took their acts up to the Otsego County Fair, where they competed in different age groups (5-8 and 9-12) and they both took 1st place!

Another Frederican, and aunt to Adam and Sarah, Stacey Rosin-Gay took 2nd place in her age division, singing "One Moment In Time." Stacey also appeared Saturday night, July 20, in the Local Vocals Concert at the fair.

## Schanz Named To Dean's List

Tracy R. Schanz, of Grayling, was placed on the Dean's List of Marquette University for the spring 1991 semester.

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## Weyerhaeuser Co. To Control Odors

The Michigan Air Pollution Control Commission approved an agreement Tuesday requiring Weyerhaeuser Company of Grayling to reduce odors from its wood processing facility. In related action, the Commission also approved the company's request to install replacement wood dryers.

The terms of the odor reduction agreement require Weyerhaeuser to conduct studies of its odor emissions and control methods. The company

will be required to implement additional odor control technology if the equipment installed with the new wood dryers does not control odors.

The agreement also contains provisions for Weyerhaeuser to keep records regarding control equipment function and air emissions, requires testing of stack emissions, and provides for payment of damages in the event the company fails to take the actions required by the agreement.

## Local Resident To Coordinate St. Jude Bike-A-Thon In Fall

Suzann Hagle will be the coordinator of the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital Bike-A-Thon in Grayling to be held on September 21.

St. Jude Children's Research Hospital was founded by entertainer Danny Thomas. The institution opened its doors to the public in 1962 to combat catastrophic diseases which afflict our children. St. Jude Hospital is non-

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All findings and information gained at the Hospital are shared freely with doctors and hospitals all over the world. Thanks to St. Jude Hospital, children who have leukemia, Hodgkin's disease, sickle-cell anemia, and other child-killing diseases now have a better chance to live.

The Bike-A-Thon Program this year is dedicated to Brooke Simon, a six-year-old solid tumor patient at St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. Brooke developed a malignant tumor in her abdomen, and after surgery, was treated with radiation and chemotherapy. She has now been taken off all therapy and is in remission.

## Open House Set For S. Branch Fire Department

South Branch Township Fire Department is having their 4th Annual Open House on Sunday, August 25, at the South Branch Township Fire Department, M-18, Roscommon. All are welcome to attend.

## Perry Family Holds Reunion

On Saturday, August 3, the 16th annual Perry reunion was held at Hanson Hills Recreation Area with over 75 attending. Awards were given for the following: Mary Perry, oldest; Michael Yoder, youngest; Lynn Moore traveled the farthest; and Ruth and Mel Culham had the most family members present. A potluck dinner and country auction were enjoyed by all. A softball game followed dinner and there were games for the smaller children. Those attending helped Bryce (Joe) and Rosetta Perry celebrate their 50th anniversary. On Sunday, August 4, several family members enjoyed canoeing the AuSable River to Burton's Landing.

## AARP To Hold August 19 Picnic

The AARP Group will have a picnic on Monday, August 19, at 1:30 at the Schultz residence. Bring your own table service and a dish to pass. However, please call Julie and tell her what you are bringing so that she can coordinate the dishes and we won't have 42 salads and no beans.

Maps are available at the Center for the directions to Bill and Julie's. Plan on coming and making it a fun afternoon.

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## Births

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Marie Galvani of Grayling; Charles Gerard, July 28, 1991, 5 lbs., 7 1/2 ozs.

Larry and Marie Broedell of Roscommon; Holly Lynn, July 29, 1991, 6 lbs., 15 ozs.

Genene Carpenter of Grayling; Amanda Sue, July 30, 1991, 7 lbs., 15.7ozs.

Sean and Lindi McClure of Fairview; Haley Marie, July 30, 1991, 9 lbs., 7.2 ozs.

Timothy and Shannon Holth of Frederic; Timothy O'Dell and Rebecca Jean, July 31, 1991, Timothy, 6 lbs., 4.3 ozs.; Rebecca, 6 lbs., 14.5 ozs.

Dan and Brenda Collins of Prudenville; Molly Caitlyn, August 1, 1991, 7 lbs., 14 ozs.

Paul and Sheryl Gildner of Grayling; Michelle Marie, August 1, 1991, 7 lbs., 11.5 ozs.

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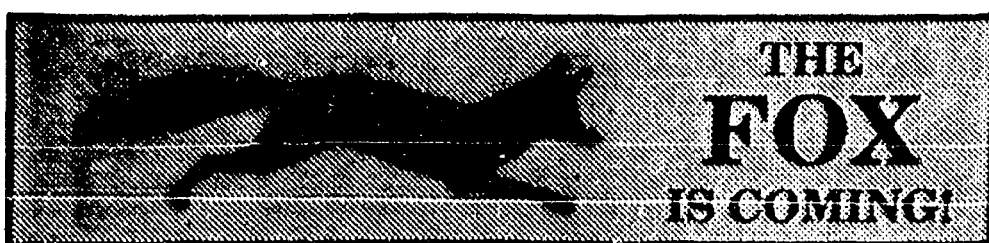


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## Workers Close In On E-9-1-1 Data System

Crawford County's Enhanced 9-1-1 Emergency Response System is moving steadily toward reality. Target date for turn-on of the completed system has tentatively been set at December 1. Prior to that date, the system will be installed and a 45-day testing period completed.

The biggest job in the creation of the E-9-1-1 Data System has been the addressing of every home, cottage, cabin, mobile home, and pay telephone in Crawford County. Slowly but surely, this task is being accomplished. In the process, it was necessary to re-name many roads and give some people new addresses more than one time.

The new addressing is being accomplished by the E-9-1-1 Data Center with assistance from the Building and Zoning Office, the City of Grayling and some township offices. The addressing system was established by the Crawford County Commissioners by the passage of an

Addressing Ordinance in 1986. According to this ordinance, recipients can begin using their new address 30 days after receiving it. It is suggested that patrons on the rural delivery system use both their route and box numbers and their new house numbers and street names. In the near future, the Post Office will begin to use the new addressing system and at that time, patrons will be informed that they can drop the route and box numbers from their address.

The addressing ordinance also provides for the mandatory display of house numbers. House numbers must be displayed where they are highly visible from the street of address as well as on the building itself. Numbers are to be in Arabic numerals with as much contrast in color as possible. The Ordinance states that the numbers have to be a minimum of 3 inches high; however, the E-9-1-1 Center is recommending numerals of 4 inches or more in height.

## SIBS FOR KIDS Receives Funds

The Crawford County SIBS FOR KIDS program has just received an allocation from the Roscommon County Chapter of United Way. This money will be used to set up a SIBS program in Roscommon County. To avoid unnecessary expenses, the entire program will remain centered at the Youth Service Bureau in Grayling.

The set-up process has begun with local businesses being invited to join the sponsorship program. Funland in Houghton Lake and Mead's Canoe Livery in Roscommon have already responded. Local businesses help the program by discounting their goods and services to program members so that the matches can enjoy more activities together.

The SIBS FOR KIDS program is accepting applications for both BIGS and LITTLES. This program attempts to provide friendship, support, and entertainment for children who need a special friend and adult role model. Volunteers vary in age, occupation, and life experience. They are asked to give of their time rather than their money. To be successful in this program, all one needs is a big heart and a desire to share with a child.

Matches are generally based on common interests and personalities. A membership card is issued to each

member and follow-up services are available to the matches. If you are interested in signing up to be a Big Brother/Sister, or would like to sign your child up for the program, you can contact the Youth Service Bureau in Grayling at 348-2841, ext. 262. Leave your name, address, and phone number and an application packet will be mailed to you.

The Crawford-Roscommon County SIBS FOR KIDS program is funded by the respective county's United Way Chapter.

## Range Firing

Range firing will be conducted at Camp Grayling in the following areas:

The Small Arms ranges located west of Lake Margrethe, north of Howe Road, east of the gas pipeline, and south of Portage Creek. Firing will begin on August 14 and cease on August 21.

The Small Arms ranges located at Arrowhead Road in Kalkaska County. Firing will begin on August 14 and cease on August 21.

Range 13, Mortar Range located south of the main post, bounded on the west by Cadillac Road and on the east by Carrier Road. Firing will begin on August 14 and cease on August 21.

Range 20, Demolition Range located south of Howe Road, west of the Crawford County Line, north of Daniels Road, and east of the gas pipeline. Firing will begin on August 14 and cease on August 21.

Range 30 Complex located north of North Down River Road, east of Jones Lake Road, south of County Road 612, and west of Damon Truck Trail. Firing will begin on August 14 and cease on August 21.

The Range 40 Complex, located north of County Rd. 612, east of Guthrie Lake, south of Old State Rd. 618, and west of County Rd. F97 (Twin Bridge Rd). Firing will begin on August 14 and cease on August 21.

The Range 40 Complex, Air to Ground, located north of County Rd. 612, east of Guthrie Lake, south of Old State Rd. 618, and west of County Rd. F97 (Twin Bridge Rd). Firing will be from August 14 through August 18, and August 20 through August 21.

## Flo's Hallmark To Offer Porcelain Collectibles

The exciting Enesco Memories of Yesterday Collection, introduced just two years ago, is now among the top three collectibles in the United States. Collectors can find this popular porcelain bisque collection at Flo's Hallmark, Grayling Mall, Grayling.

The artist behind the collection is Mabel Lucie Attwell, who was one of the century's most famous and most popular English illustrators. Her artwork caught the attention of Enesco Corporation, one of America's largest designers of fine giftware and collectibles. Enesco was licensed by the Attwell Estate to create the collection of figurines and accessories.

The Memories of Yesterday Collection portrays cherubic toddlers of the 1920s and 1930s, a nostalgic return to childhood and its myriad of mysteries. Their big eyes, rosy cheeks, and fat little legs are trademarks of the famous artist, and Enesco has painstakingly preserved these features.

The figurines were introduced to retailers by Enesco in late 1987 during an exclusive showing at the company's suburban Chicago showroom. The initial introductions at Flo's Hallmark have received enthusiastic approval from collectors.

"Since the collection is still relatively new and not very large, collectors still have the opportunity to acquire most

pieces," said D. J. Puroll, store manager of Flo's. "While some dated pieces may not be available, we have, or can still order, most figurines released to date. However, as Enesco retires pieces, collectors will find it more difficult to have every figurine."

Mabel Lucie Attwell was born in 1879 and died in 1964. During a career that spanned more than 70 years, she was illustrator for the first giftbook edition of *Peter Pan and Wendy*, as well as other popular fairy tales, including *Alice in Wonderland*, and scores of other books. Her artwork also appeared on hundreds of cards, calendars, in advertisements and on a wide range of textiles.

Many Memories of Yesterday collectors are also collectors of Mabel Lucie Attwell memorabilia. Her original cards, posters, and calendars printed much earlier in this century are still available on the secondary market.

"We're proud and excited that we can offer collectors this nostalgic and beautiful Memories of Yesterday collection," said D. J. "We urge collectors to stop in during our 'English Tea' open house, Sunday, August 25th, 12-4 p.m., and learn more about Mabel Lucie Attwell and see this distinctive collection."

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**WEYERHAEUSER GRANT**—Tina McEvers, Weyerhaeuser employee, presents a check for \$1,350 from the Weyerhaeuser Foundation to Margaret Sheldon, Director of the Crawford AuSable Day Care Center, and Gail Fenton, the center's pre-school teacher. The money will be used toward the educational pre-school program.

Sheldon said that the funds "will assist in the continuation of the community's first child care institution, founded in 1980," and that the Weyerhaeuser Foundation has also supported the day care program in the past.

## Bits Of Talk

by Fay Bovee

Mr. and Mrs. James Humphrey of Carolina, West Virginia, are proud to announce the arrival of their daughter, Alesia Ann, born on August 3. Grandparents are Wayne Rose of Harrison and the late Leta Humphrey Rose. Great grandmother is Mrs. Margaret Tinker of Grayling.

Jeff and Dorothea Fowler are the proud parents of a boy, William Bernard, who was born on July 11, at Otsego Memorial Hospital. He weighed 7 pounds 7 1/2 ounces and was 19 inches long. Grandparents are Pat and Bernie Fowler and Mr. Wilda Rockhold and the late Rosemary Rockhold. Great grandparents are

Tressa and Elmer Fenton and the late Norval Stephan.

Melvin (Pat) and Nancy Nunn were in Washington, D.C. July 18-21, where they attended the Principal's Workshop. Speaker for one of the meetings was the new education secretary. They also met with Dale Kildee of Flint, who is chairman of the education committee. The Nuns also visited Ellis Island in New York and went to North Carolina to visit her mother, Martha Erickson.

Guests of Pat and Nancy Nunn during the first week of August were her brother and wife, Jerry and Lezette Snider, of Royal Oak.

## The Meadows Of Grayling News

By Kathy Gillon, Activity Director

Staff and residents had a great time at nurse Virginia Fuels' baby shower. Everyone enjoyed cake and coffee while they watched Virginia open all the baby gifts. She received baby clothes and toys, as well as a bathing ring and blanket purchased by the Resident Council. Having residents and staff partake in celebrations together helps build friendships and a family-like atmosphere.

Coincidentally, volunteer Jerry Daoist was having a birthday that day so our folks surprised him with a giant cream puff with a candle, balloons, and a beautiful plaque.

Jerry is one of those rare, devoted people who set aside some time every week to visit our elderly. Jerry also calls bingo every Thursday afternoon and, although bingo begins at 1:45 p.m., most times Jerry is here at 11 a.m. visiting, transporting folks to meals, serving coffee and generally helping out where he's needed. Very seldom does Jerry miss his Thursday, which makes him one of the best volunteers around. He is dependable, reliable, and a real joy to have at our home.

Volunteers are essential members of our health care team in providing the best possible care for each resident. It is our hope that our volunteers find this experience an opportunity for personal growth and development. If anyone has a little time to share, please contact Kathy Gillon at 348-2801.

A big thanks to the Wurtsmith Credit Union for their donation for our bingo table. Folks love to win a "new" pair of earrings or set of beads, and they really enjoy the stuffed animals the best. Donations are always appreciated.

## NOTICE

**The Crawford County Road Commission Announces That**  
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## THE CLUBHOUSE

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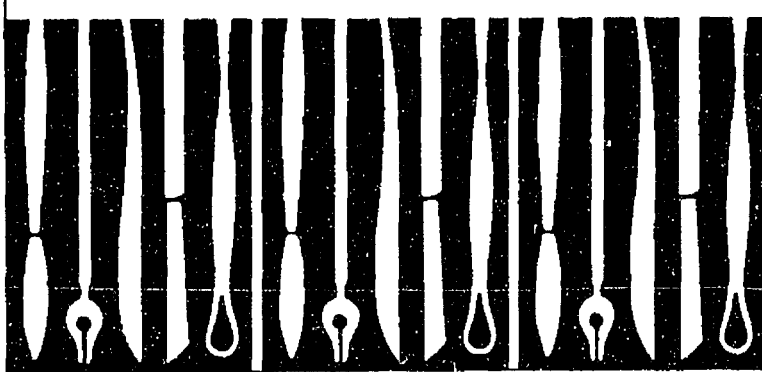
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## CCFA to Meet On August 20

The Concerned Citizens for Animals will hold their monthly meeting on August 20, at 7 p.m., at the Abundant Life Tabernacle at the corner of State and Shellenbarger Streets.

## Community Calendar



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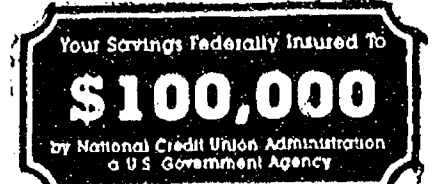
### August 1991

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MON. 19	• GRAYLING KIWANIS CLUB MEETING, 12 noon, Chief Shoppenagon's Motor Hotel.
TUES. 20	•GRAYLING UPTOWN DISTRICT ASSOCIATION MEETING, 8 am, Chief Shoppenagon's Motor Hotel. •GRAYLING PROMOTIONAL ASSOCIATION MEETING, 12 noon, Copper Kettle Restaurant.
WED. 21	•GRAYLING ROTARY MEETING, 12 noon, Chief Shoppenagon's Motor Hotel. •WEIGHT WATCHERS MEETING, Weigh-in, 4:45 pm; meeting, 5:50 pm; St. Francis Episcopal Church, M-72 West.



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## Grayling Co-op Nursery School's

## OPEN HOUSE

306 Plum Street  
Wednesday, August 21st  
6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Enrolled Children and their parents are invited to meet the new teacher, Brenda Ormsbee, and see their school facility. Potential students and their parents may also attend. Registrations for new students will be accepted, or may be made by calling Eileen Papendick at 348-8851.



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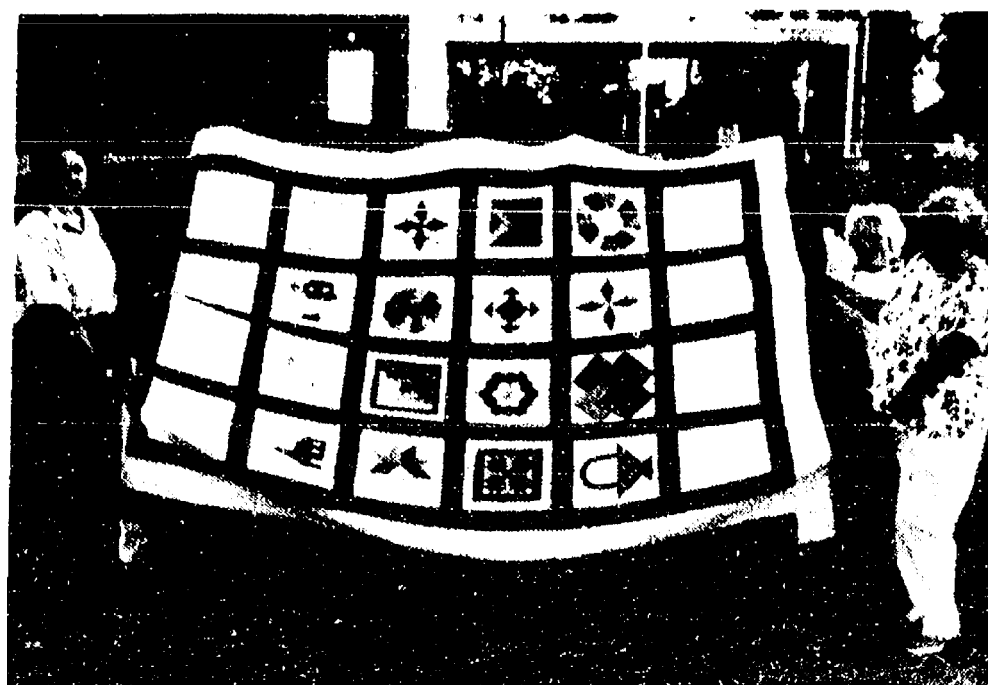
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**QUILT RAFFLE**--Kitty Pellegrini, Carol Ralph, Helen Proulx and Delphine Nowaczyk, members of the Lovells Home Extension Group, hold a quilt the 21 club members made and raffled off on July 27. The group held the raffle to raise funds for scholarships, which are given annually to GHS graduates.

Paul Davio was the winner of the quilt which contains, among other patterns, the Lovells Chapel and the Old Lovells School House.

## Marines Train Warriors At Camp Grayling Program

By Tony Knight  
U.S. Marine Corps Public  
Affairs Staff

Using the time honored and battle tested tradition that every Marine is a fighting Marine, the Reserve component of the Marine Wing Support Squadron swooped down onto Camp Grayling for two weeks of intensive combat training. The program was designed to indoctrinate new Marines in the art of warrior training, as well as refamiliarize experienced Marines with new advances in infantry equipment.

Approximately 400 Marines participated in the 3rd annual 'Jack Pine Warrior' program, named after the predominate terrain of the area. Marines were gathered from the far corners of the United States, such as Alameda, California, and Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. They divided into four different companies, which stressed the all-important principle of teamwork, as most of the Marines had never come in contact with each other.

The training grew intense, with some days lasting as long as 18 hours. The training curriculum included varied facets of the Marine infantry program. Marines learned how to correctly operate a compass at night, how to exit a troop convoy that has been attacked, and how to move a squad of Marines in an offensive combat environment. Safety and troop accountability, vital parts of Marine Corps training, were dually implemented as the primary objectives of the two week operation.

Master Sergeant Orlando Vasquez of Alameda, California, best sums up the group's activities. "Overall, the training was very good. Marines here get trained on combat; yet life is not war, and war is not life. We are

warriors in a peacetime environment learning ideally not how to kill, but how to preserve peace."

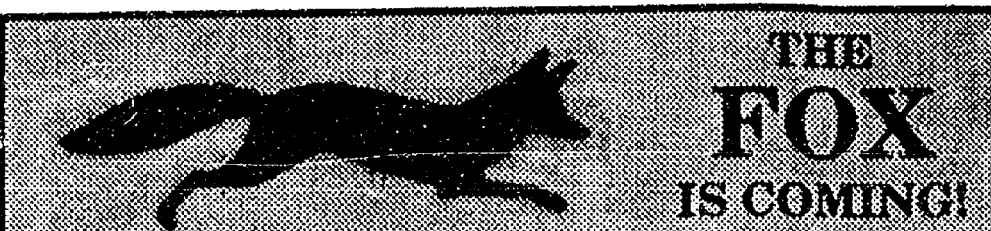
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Registrations for new students will be accepted at the open house or may be made by calling Eileen Papendick at 348-8851.



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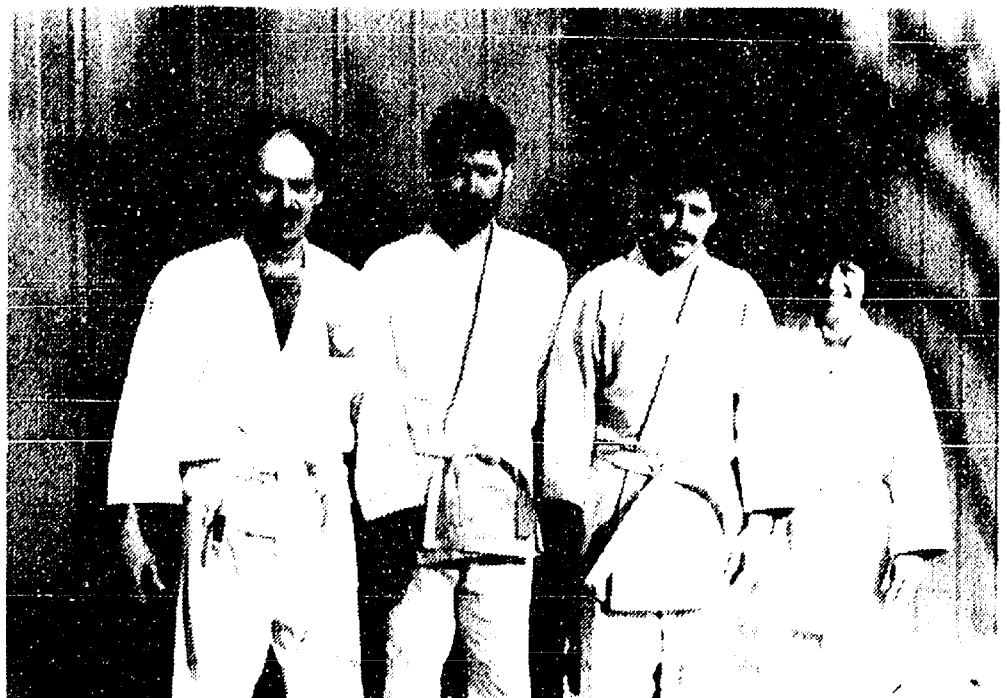


# Grayling Recreation Authority



**KARATE PROMOTIONS**—Scott Latusek, Joel Arwood and Mike Latusek were among the 12 karate students who were promoted to new ranks following the June testing at the Hanson Hills Karate Club.

Lenny Kraus was promoted to 5th gup (green belt); Evan Glicker, 7th gup (purple belt); Joel Arwood, Patrick Ray, Scott Latusek, Mike Latusek, Dr. Doug Slater, 8th gup (purple belt); Michael Arwood, Shane Colby, Jeremy Colby, Kalub Fedak and Joshua Colby, T-9th gup (white belt with black stripe).



**AIKIDO PROMOTIONS**—Four aikido students were promoted to new ranks following testing in June. Gary Stempien, of Gaylord, was promoted to 8th kyu; Pete Funck, Grayling, 5th kyu; Jim Grenke, Gaylord, 8th kyu; and Karol Bryant, Grayling, 8th kyu.

The students train at the Grayling Aikido Club, a new dojo (training facility), located on Old U.S. 27 North, two miles north of Grayling High School.

New students are welcome at any time. For information about aikido classes, call 348-9337.

## PUBLIC NOTICE

A public hearing on substance abuse services in northern Michigan will be held on Monday, August 19, 1991, from 11:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. This hearing, hosted by Northern Michigan Substance Abuse Services, Inc. (NMSAS) will be held in conjunction with the NMSAS Board Meeting in the Baraga Building Conference Room, 1665 W. M-32, Gaylord.

Representatives from NMSAS will be available to provide information and receive public input on the substance abuse delivery system in northern Michigan. Written comments are also welcome and may be submitted to NMSAS, P. O. Box 1278, Gaylord, MI, 49735. For more information contact Deb Medlin at (517) 732-1791.

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## Hanson Hills Summer Program Takes Two Local Field Trips

The Hanson Hills Vacation Playground Program took two field trips recently. On Tuesday, July 30, they visited the Grayling State Bank. At the bank they went through many of the different departments, such as the mail room, vaults, and the bookkeeping department where they sort checks, deposit slips, and take pictures of the checks for filing. Participants took part in taking out a mock loan through the loan department. They sent a fax on the facsimile machine to the Gaylord office. Each participant received a Susan B. Anthony dollar and a piece of gum.

On Wednesday, July 31, participants visited the Crawford County Courthouse. Sandra Moore, Chief Deputy Clerk, assisted them through

the county building where they visited many departments including Clerk's Office, Register of Deeds, Treasurer, Equalization, VA Office, Probate Court, District Court, Housing Commission, Prosecutor's Office, and Cooperative Extension Office (4-H). Judge Alton T. Davis explained the court functions.

They visited the county jail where they spoke with the dispatch operator on handling emergency calls coming in. Brandy Ritter was finger printed in the booking room. Everyone enjoyed the tour and learned new things about the county and how it operates.

The Summer Vacation Playground is extending the program to run through August 29. For more information, please call the Grayling Recreation Authority at 348-9266.

## Coffee League Needs Bowlers

The Thursday Morning Coffee League will meet on August 15, at 7 p.m., at the Legion Lanes. Anyone wanting to bowl should attend. Bowlers are needed.

If you want to bowl and cannot make the meeting, call Sue Romain at 348-9888 or Terri at 348-5698.

## Pioneer League To Hold Meeting

The Monday Night Pioneer Bowling League will hold its meeting on Tuesday, August 20, at 7:30 p.m., at the Legion Lanes.

## Northwood League To Hold Meeting

The Friday Night Bowling League meeting is August 20 at 7 p.m. at the bowling alley. All are encouraged to attend.

## Soccer Coaches To Meet August 19

There will be a 4-H Youth Soccer coaches organizational meeting on August 19 at 7:30 p.m. at the courthouse.

## Girls Basketball Registration Ends

Girls going into grades 3rd-6th can sign up for the Grayling Junior Basketball League at R & H Sports.

Registration is from August 1 to 16 with no more registrations accepted after Friday, August 16. The draft of players will take place at 6 p.m. Sunday, August 18, at the Grayling Holiday Inn.

The girls' season will start games in September and play through October. Persons interested in coaching should call Bud Morgan at 348-2548. Cost to register is \$10 a player.

## Teams Invited To League Meeting

There will be a meeting of the Ladies Recreation League on Wednesday, August 21, at 7 p.m., at the Legion Lanes. All teams are urged to attend.

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## LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION SCHOOL ELECTION

NOTICE OF LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION OF THE ELECTORS OF CRAWFORD AuSABLE SCHOOL DISTRICT  
CRAWFORD, OTSEGO AND KALKASKA COUNTIES, MICHIGAN

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that the Board of Education of Crawford AuSable School District, Crawford, Otsego and Kalkaska Counties, Michigan, has called a special election to be held in the school district on

**Wednesday, September 25, 1991**

TAKE NOTICE that the following propositions will be submitted at the special bond election:

### I. BONDING PROPOSITION

Shall Crawford AuSable School District, Crawford, Otsego and Kalkaska Counties, Michigan, borrow the sum of not to exceed Five Million Eight Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$5,850,000) and issue its general obligation unlimited tax bonds therefor, for the purpose of:

- erecting, furnishing and equipping a new elementary school facility;
- erecting, furnishing and equipping an addition to and/or partially remodeling, in part for energy conservation purposes, and partially re-equipping the existing elementary school facilities; and
- constructing, equipping, developing and improving outdoor playgrounds, physical education and athletic facilities and school sites?

### II. MILLAGE PROPOSITION

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Crawford AuSable School District, Crawford, Otsego and Kalkaska Counties, Michigan be increased by .875 mill (\$0.875 on each \$1,000.00) on state equalized valuation for the year 1992 and by 1.75 mills (\$1.75 on each \$1,000.00) on state equalized valuation for a period of 2 years, 1993 and 1994, to provide additional funds for operating purposes?

THE LAST DAY ON WHICH PERSONS MAY REGISTER WITH THE APPROPRIATE CITY OR TOWNSHIP CLERKS, IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE SPECIAL ELECTION CALLED TO BE HELD ON WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1991 IS

**Monday, August 26, 1991**

PERSONS REGISTERING AFTER 5 O'CLOCK IN THE EVENING ON MONDAY, AUGUST 26, 1991, ARE NOT ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE SPECIAL BOND ELECTION.

Persons planning to register with the respective city or township clerks must ascertain the days and hours on which the clerks' offices are open for registration.

This Notice is given by order of the board of education of Crawford AuSable School District, Crawford, Otsego and Kalkaska Counties Michigan.

H. Ann Stephenson  
Secretary, Board of Education

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## District Court

Lillian Patricia Lescinskas, 71, of Roscommon, plead guilty to a charge of Retail Fraud 2nd degree, and was fined \$155 or 14 days. She was cited May 14, 1991, by the City Police Dept.

Sean Allen Walsh, 23, of Grayling, plead guilty to a charge of Retail Fraud 2nd degree, and was ordered to spend 10 days in the county jail. He was cited December 11, 1989, by the State Police Dept.

David McKee, 35, of Roscommon, plead guilty to a charge of NSF Check Under \$50, and was fined \$155 or 14 days. He was cited by the City Police Dept.

Robert O. Sprague, 26, of Roscommon, plead guilty to a charge of NSF Check Under \$50, and was fined \$155 or 14 days. He was cited on

March 4, 1991, by the City Police Dept.

James Earl Henderson, 23, of Roscommon, plead guilty to a charge of NSF Check Under \$50, and was fined \$155 or 14 days, plus placed on six months probation. He was cited November 28, 1990.

James Earl Henderson, 23, of Roscommon, plead guilty to a charge of OUIL, and was fined \$575 or 60 days, plus his license was suspended nine months. He was cited February 26, 1991, by the Sheriff Dept.

Gary Lee Keller, 22, of Mio, plead guilty to I-Enter W/O Permission and II-Larceny Under \$100, and was fined I-\$175 or 14 days, II-\$155 or 14 days, plus placed on one year probation, and ordered to pay \$20 restitution. He was

cited July 10, 1990.

Richard Harry Hable, 42, of Grayling, plead guilty to a charge of Impaired Driving, and was fined \$475 or 30 days, plus his license was suspended 90 days. he was cited April 30, 1991, by the State Police Dept.

Sean Walsh, 24, of Grayling, was bound over to Circuit Court on 9 charges of No Account Check. A \$2500 cash or surety bond was set.

Shawn Emery McDaniel, 19, of St. Helen, was bound over to Circuit Court on a charge of B & E Unoccupied. A \$10,000 cash or surety bond was set.

Thomas Albert Denno, 50, of Frederic, was bound over to Circuit Court on a charge of Perjury-Court Proceedings. A \$2,000 cash or surety bond was set.

## Obituaries

### Chester Karjala

Chester W. (Bill) Karjala, 77, of Grayling, died Monday, August 5, 1991, at Mercy Hospital in Grayling. A memorial service was held Thursday, August 8, 1991, at Sorenson Funeral Home, McEvers Chapel, with Reverend Robert Gordon officiating.

Mr. Karjala was born March 2, 1914, in Calumet. He moved to Grayling three years ago from Dearborn. On April 27, 1940, he married the former Alfa Lundholm. He was preceded in death by a daughter, Joyce Woder, and by his parents, Alfred and Sophia (Isola) Karjala.

Survivors include: wife, Alfa (Lundholm) Karjala of Grayling; son, Robert Karjala of Grayling; sisters, Verna Weiss of San Francisco, CA, Audrey Lundholm of Houston TX, and Marcy Majewski of Royal Oak; step-son, Carl Schoppe of Milwaukee, WI; ten grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.

## Bible School To Begin On August 19

Area children are invited to "The Clubhouse," the Grayling Free Methodist Church Vacation Bible School, August 19-23, from 9 to 11:30 a.m.

## 46th Circuit Court

Appearing before the Honorable William A. Porter, August 5, 1991:

David Manual Jimenez, age 22 of the MI Department of Corrections was arraigned on Count I: Escaping from Prison; Count II: Unlawfully Driving Away A Motor Vehicle and a Supplemental Warrant charging the defendant as a Habitual Offender - Second Conviction. Mr. Jimenez plead guilty to Escaping from Prison. In exchange for his plea the charges of Unlawfully Driving Away A Motor Vehicle and the Habitual Offender charge will be dismissed. It is expected that he will be sentenced to 24 consecutive months in the MI Department of Corrections.

Mr. Jimenez left in a work crew van from a job site in Otsego County on February 25, 1991, while an inmate at Camp Lehman, Grayling. He and a co-defendant were arrested and lodged in the Emmet County Jail the same

day.

Thomas Wayne Dawson, age 17 of Frederic, was arraigned on the charge of Unarmed Robbery. Mr. Dawson stood mute.

Mr. Dawson was arrested on June 28, 1991, by the Grayling City Police for assaulting a victim for a case of beer, which the victim was carrying into the Holiday Inn.

Douglas Allen Blaine, Jr., age 19 of Grayling, was arraigned on the charge of Larceny Over \$100. Mr. Blaine stood mute.

Mr. Blaine was arrested on May 27, 1991, by the Crawford County Sheriff's Department for removing items without permission from camp sites at the State Forest Camp Ground, Lake Margrethe, Grayling.

Robert A. Burch, age 37 of Roscommon, was arraigned on 2 Counts of Breaking and Entering A Building With Intent. Mr. Burch stood

mute.

July 11, 1991, a search warrant was executed and Mr. Burch was arrested by the Crawford County Sheriff's Department.

Ronald Owens, age 37, was arraigned on two counts of Welfare Fraud. He stood mute requiring the court to enter a plea of not guilty. Mr. Owens is presently an inmate in the MI Department of Corrections on another charge, therefore, bond was revoked.

Thomas Albert Dean, age 22 of St. Cloud, Florida, was sentenced to 5-30 years in the MI Department of Corrections for Criminal Sexual Conduct 1st Degree.

Curtis Jerome Bell, age 20 of the MI Department of Corrections, was sentenced to 12-48 consecutive months in the MI Department of Corrections for Prisoner Possessing Contraband.

## Frederic Library News

Barbara and Ed Janos have contributed to the Liland Charron memorial Ruby F. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Akers have donated in memory of Marius Rogalle.

The Frederic High School Alumni have placed on our shelves books for Liland Charron, class of 1934, *The Complete Book of Fishing* and for Marguerite (Richards) Peoples, class of 1927, *Christmas Crafts*.

In memory of Maude Short, her name will be placed on the memorial plaque, the book *The Old Silent* has been processed in her name from Lewis

Short, Marian Short, and Ruby Carlson.

The following have donated to the Frances Lademan memorial: Alan and Muriel Leng, Ken and Merna Newberry, Kathi Black, Jim and Barb Verlinde and MeriEllen Berglund. Her name has been placed on the memorial plaque and we have ordered the book *Kitchen Wisdom*.

We have 20 children in our Reading Program. Some of the children have read over 60 books. We have presented several McDonald's of Grayling certificates to them for french fries, desserts, and hamburgers.

### ATTENTION:

The Crawford County Library is now registering children for the Pre-School Story Hour to be held Wednesday afternoons at 2 o'clock. Registration will run from August 12 through September 6.

Children reaching the age of three by June 1, 1991, four year olds and any five year old not attending Kindergarten are eligible to attend. Children must be registered in order to attend. The group will be limited to 25 children.

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Crawford County Road Commission

Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of Crawford County Road Commissioners at their office, 500 Huron Street, Post Office Box 648, Grayling, Michigan 49738 until 10:00 a.m., Friday, August 30, 1991 for the following:

**400 GRADER BLADES (DOUBLE BEVEL)  
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Specifications may be obtained at the Road Commission office. Bids must be in a sealed envelope marked as to contents.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to make the award deemed in the best interest of the Crawford County Road Commission.

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**KCC HOSTS BUSINESS SEMINARS**—Dr. Dorothy Franke, President of Kirtland Community College, receives a complimentary copy of Jerre Lewis' book, *How To Start and Manage Your Own Business*. Lewis (left) is a business instructor at Kirtland and co-author of the book. Mr. William Folds (right), a small business management seminar speaker, looks on. Kirtland offers a series of small business management seminars each semester.

## Time To Get Teams Together For 2nd Annual Local Motion

Local Motion '91, a four-hour run/walk against cancer, will be held on Saturday, September 7, at Hanson Hills in Grayling.

Sponsored by the Crawford County Unit/American Red Cross, the event will run from 8 a.m. to 12 noon. Registration begins at 7 a.m. and lunch will be served to participants at noon.

Local Motion is a fun event designed to raise funds to aid in the fight against cancer. Teams of any size (the

organizers suggest four to ten participants) can walk, run, skip, hop or ride a stationary bike in relay fashion, with at least one team member on the course at all times.

Runners, joggers, walkers and riders of any pace or ability are welcome at Local Motion '91. However, people over 40 who have not been exercising regularly should see their physicians before participating and should exercise at their own pace to prepare for

the morning's activities.

There is no entry fee. Participants seek sponsorships rather than pledges from friends and associates. Monies are handed in on the day of the event. Each team member is encouraged to raise as much money as possible, with a minimum of \$10 requested from every participant.

All participants will earn a Local Motion '91 t-shirt. Sponsorship incentives will be offered for amounts in the following increments: \$50, \$100, \$250, \$500, \$1,000 and \$2,500.

Team members are invited to walk in memory of a cancer victim or in honor of a cancer fighter or survivor. A board will be set up to list the individuals for whom participants walk.

People interested in being on a team can contact Betsey Mitchell at 348-8624 or Cindy Olson at 348-5010, or write to the American Cancer Society, P.O. Box 350, Grayling, MI, 49738.

## Bits of Talk

There was a joyous occasion for Bryce (Joe) and Rosetta Perry recently as their children surprised their parents to celebrate their 50th anniversary with a beautiful cake, memories album, and "Grandparents are Special" book. They also took them out to dinner, which was enjoyed by everyone. Niece Persis and Joe Vernier of Phoenix, Arizona, accompanied them.

Present for the weekend celebration were: son, Steve and wife Shirley, of Traverse City; son, Lawrence and wife Paula, of Thetford, Vermont; son, Lloyd flew from Hope, Rhode Island; daughter, Charlene and husband Albert, flew from E. Wareham, Massachusetts; and daughter, Sharon of Grayling. Twelve grandchildren attended: Jennifer, Melissa, Jason, Mikel, Paul, Meggan and Michele Perry; Joshua and Jeremy Jenney; Heather, Nikki, and Ethan Lynch. All grandchildren, except Sarah Beth and daughter-in-law, Patti Perry, were able to attend, but they called to make the day complete.

Bryce and Rosetta were united in marriage on December 14, 1941, and the celebration was held a little early so all could attend.

Danny and Linda Tinker of Lansing (formerly of Grayling) are happy to announce that Debra Blumberg and her family have moved from Ft. Worth, Texas, to Lansing. Debra attended Grayling Middle School and High School.

She would love to hear from some of her old classmates: Debra Dormady, 901 Brookside Drive #101, Lansing, MI, 48917.

## Par For The Course

During regular play of the Hookers and Slicers on Thursday evening, August 1, winners were: longest drive on #13, Corrine Smith; closest to the pin on #11, Corrine Smith; longest putt on #18, Marian Joseph; closest to the pin on second shot on #10, Charlie Rogers; longest putt on #15, Paul Thomson; closest to the pin on #17, John Harmer.

On August 8 the Hookers and Slicers held a Fun Day with a two-man scramble and the string game. Winners were: 1st place, Barb and John Harmer, Ken and Mabel Gothro, 31; 2nd place, Helen and Bob Pollman, Sharon and Joe Loree, Bill and Phyllis Scheer, 32; 3rd place, Ralph Davison and Joyce Sorenson, Donna and Paul Thomson, Charlie and Roberta Rogers, Evelyn and Bob McIntosh, Treva and Ray McClanahan, Marge and Al Sneath, 33.

The longest putt on #3 went to Glen Terry and Doris Birtcher; the longest putt on #5 to Bill and Marian Joseph; the longest putt on #7 to Helen and Bob Pollman.

The group enjoyed delicious dinners on both evenings. Gene and her kitchen crew are to be commended on their meals.

In the Wednesday morning league on August 7, winners were: Flight A, 1st, Barb Harmer; 2nd, Mary Jane Knibbs; 3rd, Jo Ann Powell; Flight B, 1st, Marge Sneath; 2nd, Gloria Nielson; 3rd, Doris Birtcher and Mileta Taylor; Flight C, 1st, Gloria Kraus; 2nd and 3rd, Dorothea Carlson, Ann DuBois, Vonnice Waskin; Flight D, 1st, Donna Thomson, Marti Nowak; Dorothy Kaseman.

## Legal Notice

### NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in a condition of the Mortgage made November 20, 1986, and extended January 29, 1990, by ROBERT J. COLE and SHERRIE A. COLE, as Mortgagor, to the GRAYLING STATE BANK, as Mortgagee, and recorded on November 21, 1986, and February 21, 1990, respectively, in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Crawford County, Michigan, in Liber 255, Page 82, and Liber 307, Page 372, respectively, on which Mortgage/Extension there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this Notice \$36,103.00 including principal and interest; no legal or equitable proceeding having been instituted to recover the debt, or any part of the debt secured by the Mortgage, and the power of sale in the Mortgage contained having become operative by reason of the default.

Notice is now given that on SEPTEMBER 5, 1991, AT 10:00 a.m. at the front door of the Crawford County Courthouse in the City of Grayling, that being the place for holding Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder, at public sale, for the purposes of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid on the Mortgage, together with the legal costs and charges, all of the lands and premises mentioned and described in the Mortgage, described as follows:

Lot 4, East Branch Estates, according to the Plat thereof as recorded in Liber 2 of Plats, Page 03, Crawford County Records, Township of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan.

The length of the redemption period will be one year from the date of sale.

Date: July 29, 1991

David R. Sabin, Attorney for

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The required bid guarantee is \$1,100.00 and must accompany the sealed bid. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. A prospectus and other information concerning this sale may be obtained from the District Ranger at Mio, Michigan, or the Forest Supervisor's Office at 421 S. Mitchell Street, Cadillac, Michigan.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN

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**HODGE PUDGE BLOCK**—T28N, R01W, Sec. 36, NW 1/4. Crawford County. (Appr. \$26,053.65)

**NEAR MISS JACK PINE BLOCK**—T28N, R01W, Sec. 35, N 1/2 NE 1/4. Crawford County. (Appr. \$5,703.75)

**PLANTATION ASPEN**—T28N, R03W, Sec. 31, W 1/2 / W 1/2 / SW 1/4. Crawford County. (Appr. \$2,589.90)

**RANGE FENCE BLOCK**—T27N, R03W, Sec. 23, E 1/2 / E 1/2 / SW, NW/SW/SE, N 1/2 / SE, W 1/2 / SE/NE. Crawford County. (Appr. \$10,676.60)

The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. Bid forms and envelopes may be obtained from the Area Forest Manager. All bids must be submitted on the bid form and in the Department's bid envelope, or envelope clearly identified. Bids must be received by James McMillan, Area Forest Manager, Grayling Forest Area, AuSable State Forest, Rt. 3, 1955 N. I-75 Business Loop, Grayling, Michigan, 49738, not later than **3:00 p.m., Tuesday, August 27, 1991.** For further information concerning this sale, contact James McMillan at 517-348-6371.

**DELBERT RECTOR**  
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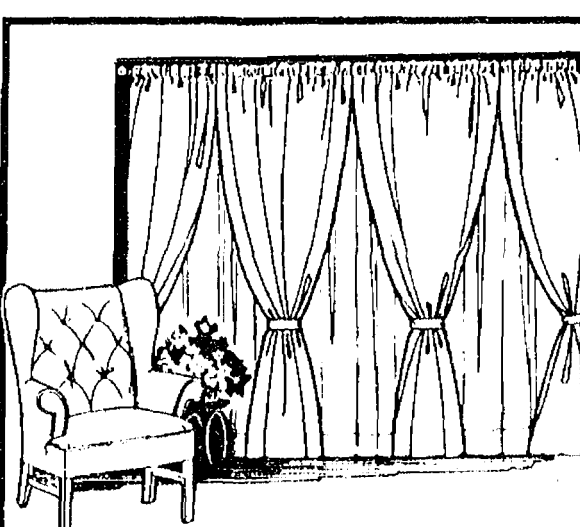
## In The Service

Adam J. Mead, 18, son of Robert and Patricia Mead, of Grayling, enlisted in the Air Force Delayed Enlistment Program.

Mead, a 1991 graduate of Grayling High School, is scheduled for enlistment in the Regular Air Force on March 24, 1992. Upon graduation from the Air Force's six-week basic training course near San Antonio, Texas, he is scheduled to receive technical training in the General Area.

He will be earning credits toward an associate degree in advanced sciences through the Community College of the Air Force while attending basic and technical training schools.

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**THUNDER ASPEN BLOCK**—T28N, R01W, Sec. 34, NE/SE, S 1/2 SE/NE; Sec. 35, S 1/2 / N 1/2, N 1/2 / S 1/2, SE/SW. Crawford County. (Appr. \$25,806.20)

**NORTH PARK BOUNDARY BLOCKS**—T28N, R03W, Sec. 32, SW/SW, SE/SE, E 1/2 / SW/SE. Crawford County. (Appr. \$8,753.70)

**HAWTHORN HARDWOODS**—T28N, R03W, Sec. 33, W 1/2 / E 1/2 NE 1/4. Crawford County. (Appr. \$1,485.40)

**FUELBREAK BLOCK**—T27N, R03W, Sec. 23, NW/SW, W 1/2 / SW/SW. Crawford County. (Appr. \$1,646.90)

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**DELBERT RECTOR**  
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Doodles From The Tall Timber

By Wendell Hoover Hartwick Pines Interpreter

Since the last Doodles, a lot of interesting things have happened. For a week, my youngest son and I took part in the filming of several scenes for the remake of the "Last of the Mohicans." If you have never been involved in the production of a film for the big screen, all I can say is that it is an experience that you won't soon forget.

If you haven't picked your blackberries yet, I would suggest you do so soon, as they are coming on some two or more weeks early. They are so ripe, in many cases, that they fall off the branch at a mere touch. Various sparrows and the catbird are making good use of the berry crop, as are the bear and grouse. Some of those berries will ferment enough to make the grouse do some pretty foolish things, like fly into trees and through windows.

The Indian Pipe have made their seasonal appearance, but earlier than usual, as we don't expect them until late in August. Past experience with this phenomenon is that the snow also comes early. The plumed golden rod and New England blazing star are also doing their thing. I hate to say it or even admit it, but the season is winding down. Have you noticed the fall colors making their appearance? The trees are indicating that they have manufactured all the food and done all the growing they are going to do for this year.

The egg masses of the Gypsy moths also indicate that this area is going to suffer next summer. The egg masses I destroy may not alter the population one whit, but psychologically it makes me feel better.

There is a Friends of the Hartwick Pines meeting on August 15 at 7:30 p.m., at the Park Headquarters. We will be looking for you.

Your Horoscope

Forecast Period: August 18 - August 24, 1991

- ARIES**  
Mar. 21-Apr. 19 Go to that gathering you have been avoiding. Join the club, delve into philanthropic organizations, whatever it is that interests you - go for it.
- TAURUS**  
Apr. 20-May 20 Your creative and artistic talents are about to be put to the test. Taking your time and really becoming involved in this "hobby" could mean additional money for the future.
- GEMINI**  
May 21-June 20 You may have to decide between romance and career. Something will keep you and loved one apart, regardless.
- CANCER**  
June 21-July 22 Health problems lie on the horizon for someone special in your life. Be there for moral support. Don't over-react.
- LEO**  
July 23-Aug. 22 Do not be disappointed if your proposals are overlooked. Your time has not yet come. Seek respite with one who loves and accepts you for what you are.
- VIRGO**  
Aug. 23-Sept. 22 New relationship is about to begin. You will accidentally come across new facts on an old project that will spur on your involvement.
- LIBRA**  
Sept. 23-Oct. 22 Your energy may be zapped. Time for a rest from all problems at home and at work. Take time off for yourself.
- SCORPIO**  
Oct. 23-Nov. 21 Spend more time on that project you have been overseeing. It will take more than just your observation to get it on its feet. Get involved.
- SAGITTARIUS**  
Nov. 22-Dec. 21 Financial problems will arise if you do not curb your tendencies to overspend. Your attention may be required for more than personal matters.
- CAPRICORN**  
Dec. 22-Jan. 19 Avoid the telephone. Good news will arrive in person. Romance proceeds as expected. Hold on to your dreams.
- AQUARIUS**  
Jan. 20-Feb. 18 Your temper may cause irreparable damage to one you love. Stay calm and allow your heart to do the thinking this time.
- PISCES**  
Feb. 19-Mar. 20 Concentrate on budgeting your finances. An important decision must be made immediately. Take your time and consider the consequences of your instincts.

Features



**GOOD COMPANION**—This cocker/terrier mix is about two-years-old. She is gentle and would make an excellent companion for someone living alone. She can be seen at the Crawford County Animal Shelter Monday through Friday from 1-3 p.m. and on weekends from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Pet Care Tip

Train yourself to read your dogs' and cats' body signals, says the Animal Protection Institute of America.

Excessive scratching in a main indicator of a skin disease. See your veterinarian if your pet scratches itself a lot.

If your pet bites its own paws, check the paws for thorns and other intruders.

When pets try to rub parts of their bodies, they are often telling you that they have worms.

Dogs' faces are loaded with affection; cats show independent airs. Danger signs are listlessness, dull-eyed, overly timid and lack of interaction. Remember that boredom destroys. Give your pet attention everyday.

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Verse or Worse

By Joe Murphy

Help A Brother

They say as a rule, a man's a fool  
To trust his fellow man  
They have no doubt, they'll do you out  
Of everything they can

But how do they know, that it is so  
Isn't that prejudging others  
That faith and trust, is a must  
If we are all to live as brothers

Some folks say, the world today  
Is full of crime and strife  
That if you heed, a man in need  
He is apt to take your life

They say ignore, those who implore  
And plead for a helping hand  
That we should turn away, from them today  
With so much crime in our land

But if it were you, what would you do  
With no way to earn an honest dime  
If you had no food to eat, or shoes for your feet  
Wouldn't you also turn to crime

Show you understand, lend a helping hand  
To those with a real need  
Remember that you, might also do  
The same if no one pays heed

So extend a helping hand, to a fellow man  
Who might fall along life's trail  
Help them get back, on the right track  
And not just ship them off to jail

Resource Review

By Bruce Patrick DNR Officer

Sound management of Michigan's deer herd requires that the size of the herd be controlled in areas of excessive deer-vehicle accidents, severe crop damage or shortage of winter food. Recreational hunting is the best method of doing this. A carefully controlled harvest of antlerless deer provides many benefits to hunters and others interested in Michigan's deer. Removal of some antlerless deer improves the buck-to-doe ratio, provides for better antler development and protects deer range.

This year, as part of a continuing effort to improve Michigan's deer herd, hunters will be allowed to take two antlered bucks, rather than the four allowed for the previous several years. A total of four deer may still be taken by a properly licensed individual, but two of these must be antlerless.

For example, if a hunter kills two legal bucks (antlers over 3 inches) during archery season, that hunter will have to take an antlerless deer during the firearm deer season. To optimize an individual's hunting opportunities, the best thing to do is to take an antlerless deer with the first bow license. A second license can be obtained, good for an antlered buck only. The rest of the bow season can then be spent in search of that trophy. After this, during the firearm season, a regular license allows the harvest of a buck, while an antlerless permit will allow the taking of a doe. A person who only hunts with a bow or only with a firearm will still be able to harvest two bucks.

This seems to be a fair way to allocate our deer herd to all of those who pay to support it. At the same time, an improvement in the quality of the herd should be noticed in a few years. Antlerless applications are available now, with a deadline of September 24.

Memories of Crawford County from the pages of the Avalanche

23 Years Ago  
August 15, 1968

The Crawford County Board of Supervisors at their meeting held Monday, August 12, okayed the sale of liquor by the glass on Sundays in Crawford County.

Six members voted for the okay, one voted against, with one absent.

It will now be up to the Michigan State Liquor Control Commission to determine which places in the county that are eligible for the Sunday licenses.

Twelve year old Wayne Westervelt, son of the Al Westervelts, was unusually fortunate in catching a 17" brown trout at Lake Margrethe, Sunday before last.

Mrs. Bud Hunter, Pat and Mary Kay, drove Gunther Doernie, this year's foreign exchange student, to Ann Arbor Monday, July 29. Gunther, along with the other foreign exchange students living with American families this past year, rode a bus to New York, where all boarded an ocean-liner for a nine-day cruise to Rotterdam, Holland, where Gunther's parents are scheduled to pick him up.

The Frank Decker Sr. family held its fourth annual family reunion at the Bob Baldwin residence in Frederic Saturday, August 10.

A potluck dinner was served and games enjoyed. Those attending besides the senior Deckers were their sons, Chuck and Frank Jr. and their families of Grayling, daughters Laura Tinker of Grayling, Beatrice Baldwin and Ann Stoddard and their families from Frederic, grandson Bob Tinker and family of Farmington. Mr. and Mrs. Wes Glick and family of Michigan City, Indiana, were guests.

The youngest member present was 7-year old Kenneth Stoddard. One of the highlights of the reunion was watching the elder Decker pitching horseshoes. Bea Baldwin and Anna Stoddard were co-chairmen of the event.

46 Years Ago  
August 16, 1945

Donald Peterson, recently released from the Army is leaving Monday to resume his work with the Conservation Department at Mio. Pfc. Kenneth Peterson is now attending Duke Hall University in Florence, Italy.

Sgt. Bernard Feldhauser arrived Monday from a hospital in Georgia, to spend a 30 day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Feldhauser, in Maple Forest.

An apparent increase in Michigan's deer herd is reported as the result of a census count on one square mile of open hunting territory in southwest Crawford County. Fifty-two deer were counted in the area as compared with 44 that were tallied in a similar drive over the same area last year, and the 19 deer that were counted in the same area in 1943.

After nearly four years of war, the United States of America is again at peace. A peace, however, won at a terrific expense in American blood and billions in material.

Miss Josephine Nichols of Lansing has been visiting at the Marius Hanson home.

The peace message by President Harry Truman Tuesday evening touched off a celebration the likes of which Grayling has never before witnessed. For well over four hours, cars and people paraded the streets shouting and using any noisemaking device that came to hand.

Recent guests at the Carl Johnson cottage, White Birch, were Zeno Nelson and daughter, Mrs. Don Hickel of El Paso, Texas.

Jean Marie Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith invited six little friends in last Wednesday to help her celebrate her birthday at her grandmothers, Mrs. A. E. Hendrickson's home. The children watched the elder Decker pitching horseshoes. Bea Baldwin and Anna Stoddard were co-chairmen of the traditional birthday cake, complete with lighted candles and of course, ice

cream. Jean's daddy is serving with the armed forces.

Mrs. Jack Cook left Sunday evening to spend two weeks visiting her mother, Mrs. Walter Tapio in Calumet.

Denise and Marlene Sorenson returned to their home Sunday after a week's vacation spent at Camp Maqua, a Girl Scout camp on Loon Lake near Hale, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bond, Mr. and Mrs. George Granger, and Mr. and Mrs. Menno Corwin left Wednesday to spend two weeks vacationing at Ranger Lake in Canada.

Joan and Jimmy Bond are spending two weeks with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James E. Taylor in Olivett, and Jimmy is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Harry Williams in Brown City for the same length of time.

Clyde Anthony spent this last weekend at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Anthony. He was enjoying a weekend pass from Percy Jones Hospital in Battle Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant M. Hales and son Grant Jr. of Detroit are spending two weeks as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Canfield at "Camp Sunshine" Lake Margrethe. Dr. C. A. Canfield of Royal Oak and brother of Canfield is also a guest for this week.

Miss Elizabeth Matson left Wednesday for Detroit to meet Miss Mary Allcock, who is assistant director of the Wheeling Girl Scout Camp in Wheeling, W. Va. Miss Allcock plans to spend a week or two in Grayling, guest of Miss Matson.

Mrs. Matilda Bishop left Tuesday evening to spend a few days with her sister, Gertrude, and Mrs. Thomas Boucher at her home in Grosse Isle, after which she will return to her position in Shaker Heights, Cleveland, Ohio.

69 Years Ago  
August 17, 1922

Mrs. W. H. Ketzbeck assisted by Mrs. Harvey Wheeler, nicely

entertained the Moose ladies yesterday afternoon, at cards, which proved a pleasant pastime for the afternoon. Mrs. Harvey Wheeler, Mrs. Benjamin DeLaMater, and Mrs. David White were awarded the prizes. Mrs. J. A. Holliday and Mrs. Carl Doroh were guests. Next Wednesday afternoon the ladies will go to Connie's Grove for their weekly party and a potluck lunch will be served.

When the Eggie Bugby family arose yesterday morning they were barred from the outdoors by a swarm of several thousand bees that surrounded their doors and windows. There is evidently a nest of bees near their home or the swarm has escaped from an apiary in the county.

A pretty wedding ceremony was performed at St. Leo's Church, Frederic, Monday morning that united in marriage Miss Dolly Smock and Leo Gannon, both popular young people of that little village. Rev. Fr. A. O. Bosler read the ceremony.

The following poem is by Reuben S. Babbit, fire warden, entitled "David Shoppenagons."

Long time ago me stay here in Grayling and trap porcupine,  
Me work for Salling Hanson to hunt the big cork pines,

Me see the white man logging up the Manistee,

Me see the forest fire kill all the young trees.

I like me honest talking, injun never joke,

You want to see more timber grow be careful when you smoke,

Railroad set some fire, farmer some too,

Some times pleasure seekers, some time as they pass thru,

More bad of all the smokers that Shoppenagon ever met,

Is the man that rides his automobile and throws his cigarette.

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Weekend Crossword

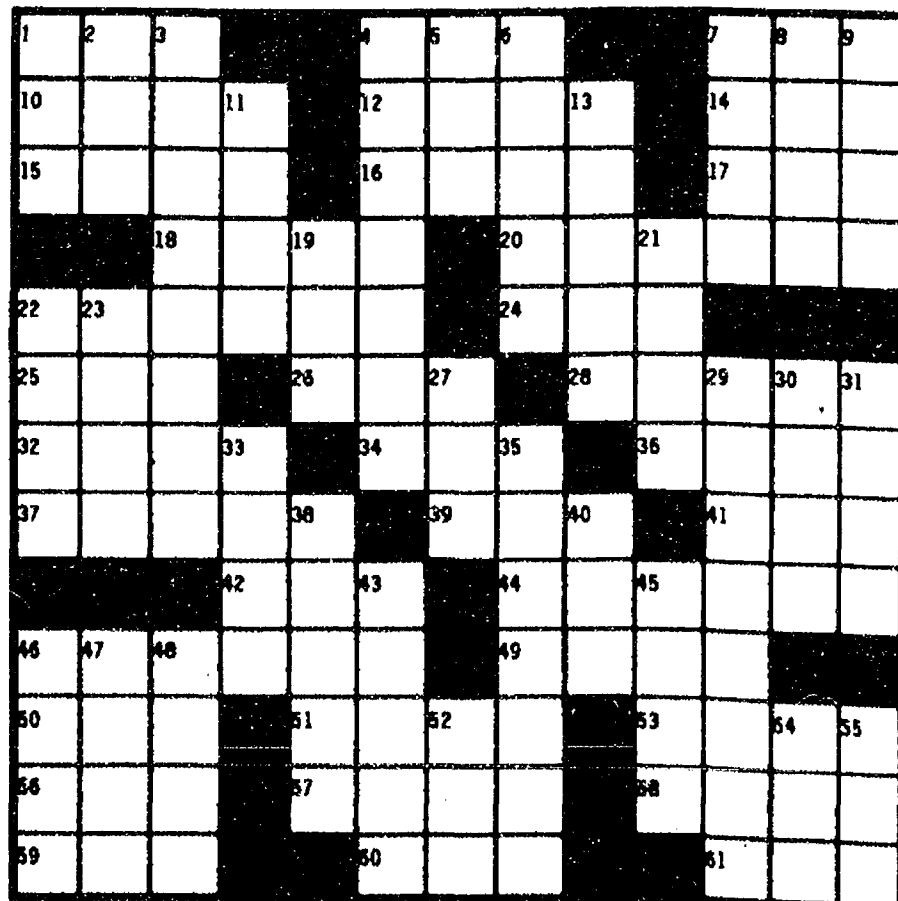
WEEKEND  
CROSSWORD

ACROSS

- 1 In addition
- 4 Big boat
- 7 Better bus Bureau
- 10 Enthusiastic
- 12 Skeletal material
- 14 Island, Fr.
- 15 Salvia
- 16 Sun disk
- 17 Joshua's father
- 18 Judah's son
- 20 United
- 22 Insult
- 24 Dallas school
- 25 Sticky substance
- 26 Over there, poetic
- 28 Shrilf cries
- 32 Death rattle
- 34 Today
- 36 TV Show, slang
- 37 Grinding material
- 39 Hurried
- 41 Diamonds
- 42 Wander idly
- 44 Cleared
- 46 Complete failure
- 49 Elm, for example
- 50 Equip
- 51 Arizona indian
- 53 Skills
- 56 Jap. fish
- 57 Across, comb. form
- 58 Retain

DOWN

- 1 Follow
- 2 Eggs
- 3 Arab-Mexican cross,
- 3 wds.
- 4 Forsake
- 5 Nonsense
- 6 Comprehends
- 7 Obligate
- 8 Sad
- 9 Turn
- 11 Jutlander
- 13 Joe
- 19 Some
- 21 Membership fees
- 22 Monster
- 23 Froth
- 27 And not
- 29 Dawdled
- 30 Walk
- 31 Raced
- 33 Work unit, pl.
- 35 Lacking
- 36 Pleasure boat
- 40 Saul's grandfather
- 43 Portals
- 45 East Indian wood
- 46 Destiny
- 47 Asian country
- 48 Among
- 52 Exactly right
- 54 Golf peg
- 55 Observe secretly





## Camp AuSable Summer Reporter Commends Directors' Efforts

During this final week of the summer camps at Camp AuSable, the blind and legally blind are here. In addition to these, 50 young people have also come for a gymnastic camp.

The camp for the blind is sponsored by the Christian Record Braille Foundation located in Lincoln, Nebraska. Representing the foundation are Odie Sigh and Dan Paepke, the coordinator who resides in Michigan. Funds for such camps are donated by business men and women across the nation.

A Braille Trail has been developed at Camp AuSable. Signs in print and braille are located along the path that leads through the forest to give information about the vegetation found in the area. One is the largest white pine tree that is 44 inches in diameter and comes close to the diameter of the Monarch in Hartwick Pines State Park.

Blind people participate in most activities that their sighted friends do. These may be archery, skiing, horseback riding, crafts, and nature lore.

Camp pastor for the week is Gordon Frase. The medical doctor is William Rosenberg and Becki Nelson serves

as nurse. Camp AuSable is owned and operated by the Michigan Conference of Seventh-day Adventists, with headquarters in Lansing. Camp Director is Bill Edsall and his associate is Terry Dodge. The camp programs are supervised by Mike Knecht. Camp manager is Brenton Bullock and his associate is Dick Scott. Food service is under the direction of Rex Townsend. Reporter for the summer camp has been Harold Jewkes, a former camp manager, now retired and living in St. Helena, California, who, with his wife, Glenna, has been on the staff for the past 16 years.

When the campers leave on Sunday, the ministers with their spouses and families will come for a three-day retreat. Their leader is Jay Gallimore, president of the Michigan Conference of Seventh-day Adventists.

**THE AVALANCHE  
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NEWSPAPER**

# The Bible Speaks

From The  
Calvary Baptist Church

## Acceptance

Psychologists and Psychiatrists spend much of their time dealing with the problem of "low self-esteem." Is there reason for such a condition? Children are taught they evolved from animals. Their brothers and sisters are often killed before birth as "right choice" of a "superior" mother. Suicide is the "right" of those who do not conquer their low self-esteem. Euthanasia is growing more and more acceptable as the way to deal with those who are mentally or physically unable to make a worthwhile contribution to society. Child abuse is growing at an alarming rate. Violence and vandalism are a threat to every person and his property. Is it any wonder modern man feels like an unwanted and unneeded prisoner caught in a degenerating society?

God's Holy Scriptures are the answer to man's low self-esteem. First, you did not evolve from an animal. God created you in His own image for His own purpose. (Genesis 1:26,27). You are unique and superior to all the animal world. You have dignity by

your creation before you are born, educated, or become productive within society. By sharing God's image, we are all created equal in dignity.

No only do you have dignity by divine creation, but also by divine redemption. Man's problems came not from failures in evolution, but by failures through "devolution" or sin and rebellion against God. A careful examination of the root of modern human suffering can be traced to atheism at work in education, politics, religion, entertainment, and the news media. Millions have died and are dying in this century because of Communism, sex perversion, abortion, and a host of other sin centered practices. "But the scripture hath concluded all under sin, that the promise by faith of Jesus Christ might be given to them that believe." (Gal. 3:22) "For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God." (Rom. 3:23) Certainly unsaved sinners have reason for low self-esteem before God because they face death and hell as the wages of their sins. (Rom. 6:23).

But redemption gives Christians high self-esteem because God loved

us and Christ died for us. "But God commended his love toward us, in that, while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us." (Rom. 5:8). God has chosen us in Christ before the foundation of the world, (Eph. 1:4). God has predestinated us unto the adoption of children by Jesus Christ to himself, (Eph. 1:5). God has made us accepted in the beloved or Christ, (Eph. 1:6). God has given us redemption through Christ's blood, the forgiveness of our sins through His grace, (Eph. 1:7).

Being accepted as created in God's image and redeemed by God's Son does not mean we have automatic acceptance in this world. Jesus said, "...No prophet is accepted in his own country." (Luke 4:24). We do not seek public acceptance for our labors, but rather, divine approval. "Study to show thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth." (2Tim. 2:15).

The highest form of self-esteem is available to those who accept Jesus Christ as their personal savior and Lord. "As many as receive him, to

them gave he the power to become the sons of God, even to them that believe on his name." (John 1:12). Born of God, partakers of the divine nature, redeemed by His blood, adopted into His family, accepted in Christ, called to be saints, promised a home in heaven, made heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ, promised we shall rule with Him someday on earth as Kings and Priests. Our high esteem is in our Lord Jesus Christ. Where does your self-esteem rest? Is it in God or man? The Bible or science? Divine revelation or human opinion?

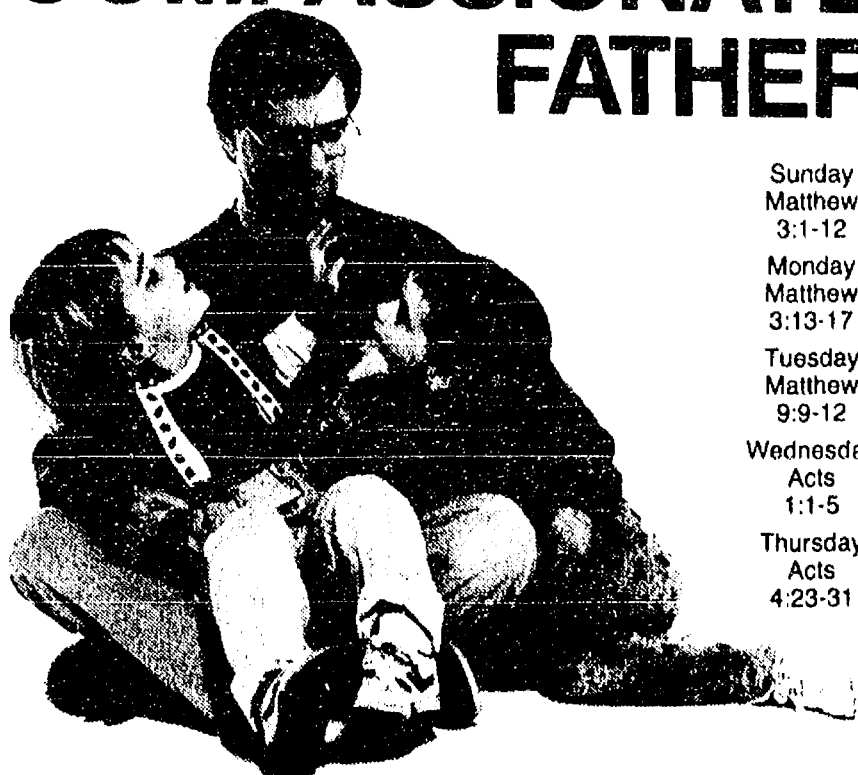
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## Church Directory

### THE COMPASSIONATE FATHER



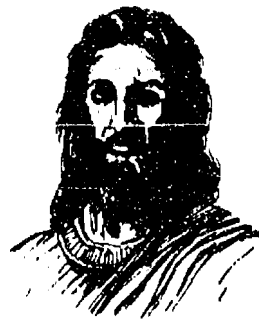
A small child runs toward the street. The child's father calls out calmly, yet firmly, "Come back into the yard."  
"As a father has compassion on his children, so the Lord has compassion on those who fear Him." (Psalm 103:13)

Webster defines this "fear" as "reverential awe," indicating a feeling of "deep respect and overwhelming admiration." Though the child was not aware of the possible danger in the street, he was aware of the admiration and respect he felt for his father, since he knew that his father loved and protected him. Therefore, he obeyed. He feared his father in the most positive way.

It is this "reverential awe" which our Heavenly Father inspires in us, His children, so that we respect Him in such a positive and trusting way as to desire to obey His Word, thus living a life filled with faith, hope and the knowledge that our soul shall never die, but live eternally with Him.

As you honor your father this Sabbath, praise also your Heavenly Father. His compassion and love are everlasting.

Sunday  
Matthew  
3:1-12  
Monday  
Matthew  
3:13-17  
Tuesday  
Matthew  
9:9-12  
Wednesday  
Acts  
1:1-5  
Thursday  
Acts  
4:23-31  
Friday  
Acts  
8:26-40  
Saturday  
Acts  
9:1-19



Scriptures Selected by  
The American Bible Society

**First Baptist Church Of Frederic**  
Rev. Jim Wright  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 11 a.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 6 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer & Bible Study ..... 7 p.m.

**Christ Missionary**  
Minister H.A. Hennig  
4 MI. East of Frederic  
County Rd. 612  
Sunday School ..... 10 a.m.  
Worship & Praise ..... 11 a.m.  
Sun. Evening Service ..... 6 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer, Bible Study ..... 6 p.m.

**Christian Science Society**  
209 First St. -- Suite 103 -- Gaylord  
Sunday Service ..... 10:30 a.m.  
April through October  
2nd Wednesday ..... 8 p.m.

**Michelson Memorial  
United Methodist Church**  
Minister Dr. Dennis N. Paulson  
400 Michigan Ave.  
Church School ..... 9:45-10:45 a.m.  
Worship Services ..... 8:30 & 11 a.m.  
Bible Study (Wed.) ..... 10 a.m.  
Senior Choir (Thurs.) ..... 7 p.m.  
Handbell Choir (Mon.) ..... 7 p.m.  
Children's Choir (Wed.) ..... After school

**Seventh Day Adventist**  
Pastor David Stramel  
Phone 348-4445  
Services held Saturday at Camp AuSable  
in 1st building on the right off new  
entrance road.  
Church Service ..... 9:30 a.m.  
Sabbath School ..... 10:30 a.m.  
Prayer Meeting Tues. .... 7 p.m.

**Grayling Assembly of God**  
Rev. Ron Voelker, Pastor  
Old 27 North, 701 Grayling Rd.  
Church - 348-8885  
Parsonage 348-2588  
Sunday School ..... 10 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 11 a.m.  
Evening Service ..... 6 p.m.  
Wednesday - Family Night  
Adult-Youth-Children Sessions 7 p.m.

**Heritage Baptist**  
Pastor Jim Van Liere 348-7699  
1841 Hartwick Pines Rd.  
1/4 mile west of I-75  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 11 a.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 6 p.m.  
Wednesday ..... 7 p.m.

**St. John Evangelical  
Lutheran (ELCA)**  
Rev. Robert A. Gordon  
710 Spruce St. - Phone 348-5224  
Summer Schedule May 26-Sept. 1  
Worship ..... 8:30-10:30 a.m.  
Choir Rehearsal (Tue.) ..... 7 p.m.  
No Choir July & August

**Reorganized Church  
Of Jesus Christ  
Of Latter Day Saints**  
Pastor Lacey Stephan, Jr.  
Corner of North Down River Rd.  
and South Millikin Rd.  
Church School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Preaching ..... 11 a.m.  
Midweek Service Prayer ..... 7 p.m.

**Gaylord Christian Reformed**  
Rev. V. Schaap  
415 Ohio North  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 11 a.m.  
Evening Service ..... 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study ..... 7:30 p.m.

**St. Mary's Catholic Church**  
Fr. Michael Conner - 348-7291  
702 Peninsula - 348-7657  
Sunday ..... 5 p.m.  
Saturday ..... 9 & 11 a.m.  
Weekday Mass

Tuesday ..... 8 a.m.  
Wednesday ..... 10 a.m.  
Thursday ..... 8 a.m.  
Friday ..... 8 a.m.  
Confession Saturday ..... 4 p.m.

**Christian Science Society**  
Zone 11, 106 James St.  
Houghton Lake  
Sunday Ser. & Sunday School 11 a.m.  
1st Wednesday (April-Oct.) 7:30 p.m.

**Lovells Chapel**  
Pastor Gary Hopp  
Sunday School ..... 10 a.m.  
Chapel Service ..... 11 a.m.

**Calvary Baptist Church**  
Dr. Robert Barnett, Pastor  
M-72 West  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service ..... 10:30 a.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 6 p.m.  
Mid-Week Services  
Prayer & Awana Club (Wed) ... 7 p.m.

**Church of Christ**  
Gordon French Minister  
Old US 27 at Skyline Rd.  
348-8573  
Sunday School ..... 10:15 a.m.  
Communion & Preaching ..... 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening ..... 6 p.m.  
Wednesday  
Mid-week Bible Study ..... 7 p.m.

**Bear Lake Christian**  
M-72 & East Bear Lake Rd.  
Sunday School ..... 9 a.m.  
Sunday Service ..... 10 a.m.

**The Church of Christ**  
with the Eliza Message  
Pastor John E. Weaver  
7662 Kelly Ave. - Frederic  
Sunday Worship ..... 10 a.m.  
Sunday School ..... 7 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Service ..... 7 p.m.

**Abundant Life Tabernacle**  
Pastor Don Brigham  
211 Shellenbarger St.  
Grayling, Mich.  
Sunday Morning ..... 10 a.m.  
Wednesday Evening ..... 7 p.m.

**Grayling Baptist Church**  
Affiliated with S.B.C.  
Pastor, David Mossman  
Meeting at 501 Michigan Avenue  
(517) 348-2557  
Sunday Bible Study ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 11 a.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Services ..... 7 p.m.

**AuSable Valley Church Of God**  
Pastor, Marie Cox  
6330 Johnson - Frederic  
Sunday School ..... 10:15 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 11 a.m.  
Evening Services ..... 7 p.m.  
Wednesday Prayer Service ..... 7 p.m.  
Pollock Fellowship 2nd Sunday each  
month after morning service.

**Free Methodist**  
Joseph Carpenter - Pastor  
6652 W. Kalkaska Rd.  
(M-72 West) Phone 348-5362  
Sunday School ..... 10 a.m.  
Morning Service ..... 11 a.m.  
Evening Service ..... 6 p.m.  
Prayer Meeting (Wednesday) ..... 7 p.m.

**Jehovah's Witnesses - Hal Leas**  
Mr. Robert L. Kinn  
Phone 348-4981 - Kingdom Hall  
Public Talk (Sunday) ..... 10 a.m.  
Watch Study (Sunday) ..... 11 a.m.  
Book Study (Tuesday) ..... 8 p.m.  
Ministry School (Thursday) 7:30 p.m.  
Meeting (Thursday) ..... 8:30 p.m.

**Mt. Hope Evangelical  
Lutheran -- Missouri Synod**  
Rev. Daniel E. Lochner, Pastor  
905 Old U.S. 27 North  
At the junction of M-93 & Old 27  
Saturday Worship ..... 7 p.m.  
Sunday Worship ..... 10:30 a.m.

**St. Francis' Episcopal**  
Vicar: The Rev. Derik J. Roy, Jr.  
M-72 West-Office 348-5850  
Rectory-348-2682  
Sunday Holy Eucharist ..... 8:30 & 10:30 a.m.  
Morning Prayer Service ..... 10:30 a.m.  
(The second Sunday of each month)  
Healing Service ..... 5th Sunday of the month  
Adult & Children's Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday nursery care provided ..... 10:30 a.m.  
Adult Choir Practice (Monday) ..... 7 p.m.

**St. Martins Ev. Lutheran (Wels)**  
Herbert R. Filter-Pastor  
For information call 275-4661  
Services held at the Roscommon  
Community Center, Monday nights at 7  
p.m., 510 South St., Roscommon, MI.

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## Legal Action

### STATE OF MICHIGAN IN THE DISTRICT COURT 83RD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

PLIBET FINANCE & MORTGAGE, INC.  
Plaintiff,  
vs.  
NORMAN and DEBRA NEIDRICK,  
Defendants  
File No. 91-236-LT  
Dan E. Bylenga, Jr. (P32154)  
Attorney for Plaintiff  
200 College Park Plaza  
180 N. Division  
Grand Rapids, MI 49503  
(616) 454-8277

#### ORDER FOR PUBLICATION

At a session of said Court held at the

District Court, Grayling, Michigan, this 30th day of July, 1991.

PRESENT: HONORABLE FRANCIS L. WALSH, District Court Judge  
On the 15th day of July, 1991, an action was filed by Plibet Finance & Mortgage, Inc., Plaintiff, against Norman and Debra Neidrick, Defendants, in this Court to recover possession of certain realty.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Defendants, Norman and Debra Neidrick, appear at the 83rd District Court, County Building, Grayling, Michigan, at 1:30 p.m., on August 27, 1991, and defend the complaint filed in this action. Failure to comply with this order will result in a judgment by default against said Defendants for the relief demanded in the complaint filed in this Court.

The foregoing suit involves a forfeiture of a land contract covering all that certain piece or

parcel of land being situated in the Township of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, and more particularly described as:

A part of Government Lot 1, Section 22, T26N, R4W; Beginning at the NW corner of Lot 46 of Oak Acres Park Plat and running thence Southerly along the W line of Lots 46 and 45 of said Plat 120.6 feet to Southwesterly corner of said Lot 45, thence S 88°45' W 164 feet to Easterly right-of-way line of Public Road, thence N 24°42' E along said road 133.3 feet, thence N 88°45' E 118.5 feet to point of beginning, Grayling Township, Crawford County, Michigan. Commonly known as 3081 Grayling Avenue, Grayling, MI, 49738. Tax ID # 20-042-022-001-080-00.

Francis L. Walsh  
District Court Judge

DRAFTED BY  
Dan E. Bylenga, Jr. (P32154)  
Attorney for Plaintiff  
200 College Park Plaza  
180 N. Division  
Grand Rapids, MI 49503  
(616) 454-8277

-8-15-22

### NOTICE BY PERSONS CLAIMING TITLE UNDER TAX DEED

To the owner or owners of any and all interests in or liens upon the land described:  
TAKENOTICE: Sale was lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes on that land, and that the undersigned has title to

the land under tax deed or deeds issued for the land. You are entitled to a reconveyance of this land within 6 months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or the treasurer of the county in which the land is situated, of all sums paid for the tax sale purchase, together with 50% in addition, and the fees of the sheriff for the service and/or cost of publication of the notice. The service or publication costs shall be the same as if for personal service of a summons upon commencement of an action, together with a sum of \$5.00 for each description, without additional cost or charge. If payment as described in this notice is not made, the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land.

Amount Paid: \$502.92, Deed # 506.  
Amount Due: \$759.38, PLUS SHERIFF AND PUBLICATION FEES.  
Tax for the year 1985.  
(signed) Alpha & Company  
P.O. Box 4010  
East Lansing, MI 48826  
TO: Harold Guedry, Cynthia Guedry, Russell Baker, Helen Baker, District Director of Internal Revenue, State of Michigan Department of Treasury, unknown, unascertained, undetermined, unborn heirs, devisees, legatees, and assigns, including those who are legally incompetent to act on their own behalf, said individuals being persons indicated to have some interest in the land above described according to Crawford County records.  
This is an improved residential parcel.  
-25-1-8-15

## Grayling Area Business Directory

### Accountants

**Mickey Perez P.C.**  
Certified Public Accountant  
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**John D. Cherven**  
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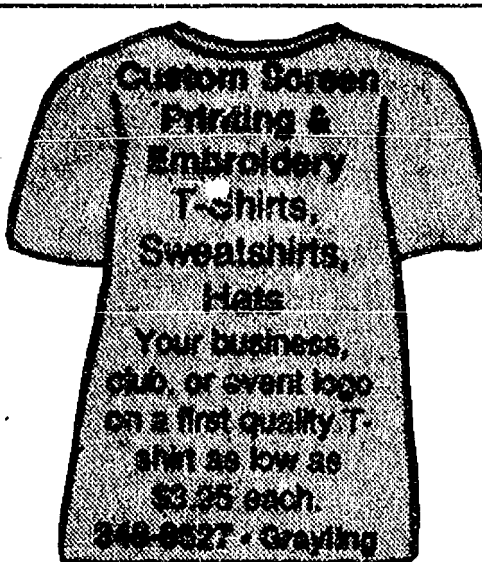
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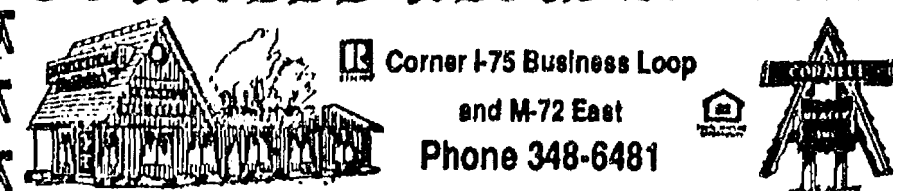


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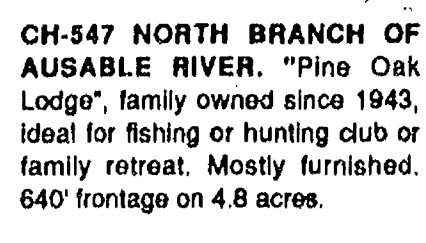
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# The Classifieds

## GARAGE SALES 10

### THURSDAY

**LARGE (3) THREE FAMILY garage sale.** Baby clothes, children, teens, and adult. Baby swing and car seat, new Christmas items, decorating items and dishes. Thursday, August 15, 9-7, Friday and Saturday, August 16 & 17, 9-5. Karen Woods, Karen St., 2nd house on right. -15/10

**GARAGE SALE: AUGUST 15, 16, 17, 9 a.m.,** North Down River Rd., between Stephen & Wakeley Bridge Roads at "Wildwood." Collectibles, jewelry, stereo, fiberglass bathtub, hide-a-bed, good clean clothing and much more. Come look! -15/10

## GARAGE SALES 10

### THURSDAY

**THURSDAY, FRIDAY & SATURDAY** Kellogg's Porch sale. North Down River Rd. at Kellogg's Bridge, 19 miles from Grayling. August 15, 16, 17, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. A snowblower, metal table, two chairs, and something for just about everyone. -15/10

**OLD-27 TO 5-MILE RD.** to Merrio Rd., follow signs. Two family moving-garage sale. Tools, household items, furniture, and a lot more. Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday, August 15, 16, 17, 18, 275-8724. -15/10

## GARAGE SALES 10

### THURSDAY

**THURSDAY, AUGUST 15, 9 a.m. to 7 p.m.** Old 27 North, first left past airport, 5711 Wellington Way. -15/10

### FRIDAY

**GARAGE SALE: 204 CHESTNUT** Friday and Saturday, August 16 and 17, 9-5. -15/10

**TWENTY FIVE THINGS FOR SALE \$532** M-72 W. (Northside) just past Danish Landing Road. Friday, 2 p.m. - 5 p.m., Saturday, 2 p.m. - 6 p.m. \$5 and under: L.P.s, Mr. Coffee, books, sm. suitcase, briefcase, valet chair, bar stool, golf bag, pictures/frames, children's bowling ball, \$10-\$20: record cabinet, sewing machine/table, sm. file cabinet, bookcase, sm. nightstand, copy machine cabinet, chest of drawers, men's bowling ball/bag, \$50-\$125: dining table/leaf, two dining chairs, ping pong table, two beige flexsteel recliners, turntable/receiver/speakers, dresser/mirror/nightstand, commercial drafting table/lamp. -15/10

## GARAGE SALES 10

### FRIDAY

**YARD SALE: FRIDAY AND SATURDAY,** 10 to 6. Ladies clothes, misc. 511 Michigan. -15/10

**LARGE MULTIFAMILY GARAGESALE** Lots of good clothing, sofa, chair, swag lamp, bike carrier, and much more. Friday and Saturday, 8-6. 1-75 S. to 4-Mile Rd., then go right two miles to King Road. Follow signs. -15/10

### SATURDAY

**240 MISTY WAY** Boy's clothing and athletic shoes, good condition, priced to sell. Saturday, August 17, 10-4 only. Rain or shine. -15/10

**GARAGE SALE: SATURDAY, AUGUST 17, 9-5,** 123 Barbara, Clough Subdivision. Girl's, ladies clothing, misc household, toys, microwave. -15/10

### MISCELLANEOUS

**GARAGE SALE: West Bear Lake Road and M-72 West, Bear Lake.** Magnavox 25" TV, stereos, waterbed, table, chairs, boats, 1973 4 w.d. Dodge. Now thru 8-31-91. -15/10

**RUMMAGESALE: 311 LAWNDALE,** 10-3 p.m., Monday-Thursday, August 19-22. \$2 all you can put in a bag. -15/10

**ST FRANCIS THRIFT SHOP** has for sale a table and chairs, full size frame with head and foot board, twin headboards, electric stove, trail bike, and formal, formal, formal, new, \$10 each. 20% off winter coats. Back room dollar bag sale. 72-W. 348-2572. 8/19/10/10

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## AUTOMOTIVE 11

**'85 OLDS CUTLASS SUPREME** 4-door, excellent running car, priced to sell, \$2,400. Was at Credit Union Auto Sale. 348-8909. -15-22/11

**1982 DODGE 3/4 TON PICK-UP** for sale. 318, V-8, A-1 shape, \$2,000. 348-8267. -15-22/11

**BLACK '78 GRAND PRIX** Glass T-tops. 348-4921. -15/11

**1981 BUICK REGAL \$1,000 or best offer.** Call (517) 348-8611. -15/11

**FOR SALE: HARLEY DAVIDSON 1972** sportster 1000cc, semi custom, 12,900 miles, \$3,800. Call 348-8680, after 6 p.m. -15/11

**1975 MONTE CARLO** Runs good, \$350. 7380 Wright St., Frederic. No phone. -15/11

**1983 FORD RANGER PICK-UP.** Customized body and speed equipment. Extremely fast. Immaculate condition. Must see to appreciate. Call for complete information and pricing. 348-5053. 7/25/91/11

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**1985 SUBARU 4-WD WAGON.** Very good condition, \$2,500. 1974 Chevy 1-ton van. New engine. Old ambulance, \$1,800. 348-3083. 8/8/91/11

## Government Action

### SYNOPSIS

July 17, 1991

### Regular Meeting Crawford County Board of Commissioners

The Regular Meeting of the Crawford County Board of Commissioners convened on July 17, 1991, at 9:40 a.m. at the Trustee's Lodge on the South Branch of the AuSable River, Grayling, MI. Commissioners present: Long, Goodale, Riley, Callewert, Smock, Hulbert & McLachlan. County Clerk Elizabeth Wieland present. There were 13 visitors present at various times.

### IN FORMAL ACTION, COMMISSIONERS:

—Accepted a proposal to create one Park Commission to represent all recreational activities and submit the proposal to Deputy Director John MacGregor for his comments prior to submittal as a formal proposal.

—Adopted a budget for Central Dispatch for the balance of 91 and 92, which includes four full time dispatchers and an administrator in the amount of \$81,271 and \$149,023 respectively.

—Approved the registration fee of \$40 and lodging in the amount of \$135 for the Treasurer to attend the Annual Treasurer's Conference in Marquette.

—Approved transfer of \$15,000 to the Child Care Fund, \$200 to Soldiers & Sailors Fund and \$3,000 to the Law Library Fund from the General Fund.

—Established an imprest fund for the Sheriff's Dept. in the amount of \$50.

—Denied a request to have the 1976 Johnson motor repaired in the amount of \$619.90 for the Marine Division.

—Approved payment of General Fund Vouchers in the amount of \$137,097.04, Ambulance Fund Vouchers in the amount of \$51,640.49, GEM Fund Vouchers in the amount of \$3,933.50, Fish Hatchery Fund Vouchers in the amount of \$735.22 and

Comm.	Salary	Per Diem	Expenses
Long	\$250.00	\$130.00	NC \$22.00
Goodale	\$250.00	\$162.00	NC \$32.00 NC \$75.25
Riley	\$250.00	\$174.00	\$11.52
Callewaert	\$250.00	\$248.00	\$90.64
Smock	\$250.00	\$152.00	—
Hulbert	\$250.00	\$150.00	\$17.60
McLachlan	\$300.00	\$64.00	—

—Accepted the 7-3-91 minutes with a minor correction.

—Accepted 24 pieces of communications.

—Appointed Rodney Lobsinger, at the recommendation of the Crawford AuSable School Board, to fill an unexpired term ending 12-31-91 on the Special Election Scheduling Committee.

—Accepted the 1992 Homeownership Assistance Guidelines drafted by Housing Rehab & Community Dev. Commission.

—Dissolved the Management Study Committee created to study various types of manager systems for Counties.

—Dissolved the Policies & Procedures Committee as recommended.

—Authorized per diem for committee assignments and other meeting authorized by the Board prior to attendance.

—Accepted the recommendation of the Commission on Aging and re-appointed Fran Hanson and William Coy to serve another term on the COA Board. Their terms will expire 8-31-95.

—Executed grant extensions for Crawford County Rental Rehabilitation Program Grants through 9-30-91.

—Denied a request to waive the fee for 41 copies obtained by Grayling Promotional Association. Commissioners Riley and Hulbert offered to pay for the copies.

**IN OTHER BUSINESS, COMMISSIONERS:**

—Were informed by Rep. Ostling of the current status of the fish hatchery property and indicated he would furnish information on a Parks Commission.

—Were asked by Dale French on behalf of Camp Grayling about the status of Central and/or E-911. He was informed that a meeting was held, the budget was drafted and goals of the operation were set.

—Received a copy of the 1991 General Fund Revenue and Expense detail through 6-30-91 to review.

—Learned the grant application by Lovell Township for Douglas Park has been denied.

—Were informed by Jim McMillen of the DNR that trash barrels have been placed at all

access sites.

—Hear brief up-dates from various other committees.

Full text of official minutes are on file in the Clerk's office.

Robert McLachlan, Chairman  
Elizabeth Wieland, County Clerk

### Crawford County Road Commission July 19, 1991 Minutes

A regular meeting of the Crawford County Road Commission was held in their office in Grayling. Present were: Chairman Norman Parker, Commissioners Clyde Anthony and Kenneth Chapp, County Foreman Gary Leslie and State Foreman Jerry Pratt, Accounting Clerk Joanne Thompson, Chairman of Roads & Bridges Lee Riley.

The minutes of the previous meetings of July 8, 1991, and July 10, 1991, were read. Chairman Parker made a motion to accept the minutes, seconded by Commissioner Chapp. All voted in favor, minutes approved.

Payroll Voucher Number 15 in the amount of \$31,577.19 and Material checks numbered 18874 through 18954 in the amount of \$78,671.63 were ratified.

At this time bids were opened for surplus material. The bids are as follows:

	Tire Task	
Ross Argue	\$3.00	
Charles Easterly	5.00	
	<b>1 ton Chainfall</b>	
Charles Easterly	\$35.00	
George Warren	20.00	
	<b>2 ton Chainfall</b>	
Charles Easterly	\$30.00	
George Warren	20.00	
	<b>Parts Washer</b>	
Ross Argue	\$11.00	
Floyd Millikin	41.00	
George Warren	10.00	
	<b>Hydraulic valves &amp; fittings</b>	
Floyd Millikin	\$20.00	
George Warren	20.00	
	<b>2 Floor Jacks</b>	
Floyd Millikin	\$10.00 each	
Charles Easterly	60.00 & 20.00	
George Warren	20.00 each	
	<b>Air Compressor</b>	
Floyd Millikin	\$110.00	
Walt Isenhauer	213.00	
Ross Argue	175.00	
William Lowes	207.00	
George Warren	60.00	
	<b>Work Bench</b>	
George Warren	\$20.00	
	<b>Scrap Pile</b>	
George Warren	\$100.00	
	<b>Tire Cage</b>	
Walt Isenhauer	\$7.00	
George Warren	\$2.00	

The Board, after reviewing the bids, awarded the tire task, floor jacks and 1 ton and 2 ton chainfalls to Charles Easterly; the parts washer to Floyd Millikin; the air compressor and tire cage to Walt Isenhauer; the work bench and scrap pile to George Warren. Floyd Millikin and George Warren shall be contacted regarding the tie bid for the hydraulic valves and fittings.

Permits were reviewed at this time and approved as follows: Leslie Parke to construct a driveway on Sherman Road in Maple Forest Township; Top O Michigan to construct a driveway on Sherman Road in Maple Forest Township; Top O Michigan to construct an overhead line on South Upnorthe Drive in Frederic Township and Frederic Township to temporarily close Johnson Street in the village for a car show.

Discussion was held on expenses and the decline in revenues and local roads and the current PAS projects. A request was received from South Branch Township residents to extend a road. It was decided that the Township Supervisor should contact the people involved and a petition should be received.

A motion was made and seconded to approve the following Resolution and send to the Crawford County Board of Commissioners.

"The Crawford County Road Commission is opposed to shortening their term of office from six years to two years. In a two year period a person has barely enough time to learn how the budget system works let alone see any kind of effective changes put into place. Furthermore, a two year cycle results in three times the election campaign cost and three times the possibility of special interest groups controlling the election and legislative process."

The Federal House of Representatives elected every two years results in over 95% re-election but at a large cost to the taxpayer. Regardless of who pays for the campaigns -- special interest groups, political parties, etc. -- the ultimate costs are passed on to the taxpayer through increases in consumers' prices. It does not make sense in a small area like Crawford County to force the local population to pay for three times the election campaign costs that would result from electing the entire board every two years, especially if the federal records carries through of re-electing a very high percentage.

If election finances are not considered, it still makes better sense to replace not more than one-third of the board at a time. With only two years between elections, the officials will be spending a much greater percentage of their time attempting to be re-elected. Assuming an election campaign takes three months through primary and general election time this is one-eighth (12%) of a two year term, and a time that very little effective legislation is accomplished (again witness the U.S. House).

When the individual stands for re-election every six years only one twenty-fourth (4%) of the term is spent running for re-election and the person has time to learn what the needs of the county transportation system are. If six years does not provide adequate accountability to the constituents, and the constituents are dissatisfied with the Commissions' actions the recall process is available. With a reduction of the term from six to two years, the operation of the road commission becomes politically oriented rather than road maintenance oriented."

An Agreement with Shell Oil for a lease renewal was signed by Chairman Parker.

Several pieces of correspondence were given to the Board for review, with paperwork expected from the Michigan Dept. of Natural Resources.

Lee Riley requested the Board for some leadership in the area of local road signs with all townships involved. The Board agreed but would like to also cooperate with the 911 system.

A motion was made and seconded to adjourn. All voted in favor, meeting adjourned.

Joanne Thompson-Accounting Clerk  
Norman L. Parker-Chairman

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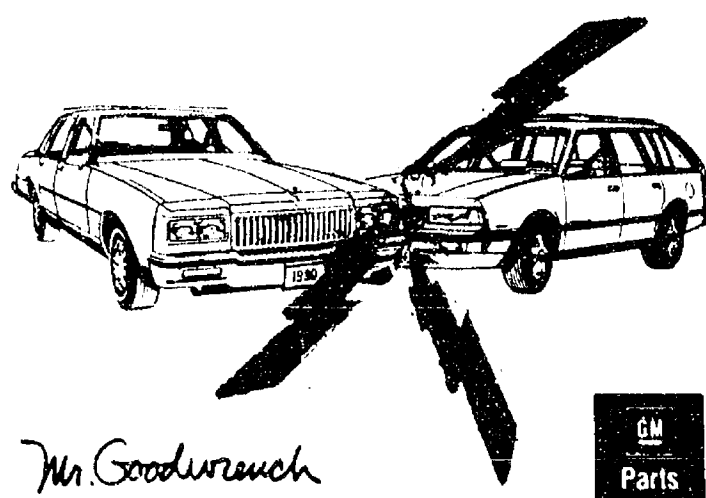
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- 1991 PONTIAC SUNBIRD CONVERTIBLE, white, only 5,400 miles, air, automatic, stereo radio, over \$16,000 new. **NOW \$12,988**
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- 1991 CHRYSLER LABARON CONVERTIBLE, only 4,500 miles, V6, automatic, air, tilt, cruise, power windows, power locks, stereo radio, black cherry. **NOW \$14,500**
- 1991 OLDS CUTLASS SUPREME, 4 door, air, tilt, cruise, stereo radio, much more. **NOW \$13,988**
- 1991 CHEVY LUMINA, 4 door, Euro, bright red, V6, air, tilt, cruise, power locks/windows, cassette, clean interior, much more, only 6,000 miles. **NOW \$14,388**
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- 1991 OLDS CUTLASS CIERA S, Sedan, extra loaded, only 3,600 miles, 18,925 new, really great equipment, V6. **NOW \$15,588**
- 1990 GEO PRIZM, 4 door, red, LSI, one owner, automatic, power windows, power locks, rear defogger, cruise, extra clean. **ONLY \$9,988**

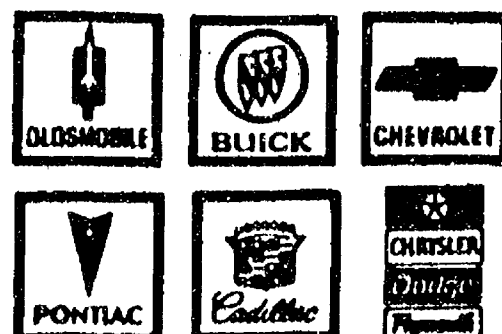
- 1990 CHEVY CORVETTE CONVERTIBLE, only 17,000 miles, black with black leather, real loaded, showroom condition, \$40,000 new. **NOW \$28,900**
- 1990 CHEVY BERETTA, 2 door, blue, air, tilt, cruise, radio, 2.2 litre engine, much more. **NOW \$8,988**
- 1990 OLDS TROFEO, 2 door, real loaded, clear metallic, power moon roof, graphite leather, sharp, \$28,000 new. **NOW \$17,988**
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- 1989 CADILLAC SEDAN DEVILLE, leather seats, AM/FM cassette, twin power seats, it's loaded. **NOW \$15,988**
- 1988 DODGE DYNASTY LE, 4 door, only 31,000 miles, cassette tape, V6, rear defogger. **SHARP \$7,988**
- 1988 PONTIAC GRAND PRIX, 2 door, V6, automatic, stereo cassette, tilt, cruise, rear defogger, nice red car. **NOW \$8,488**
- 1988 PONTIAC LEMANS, 2 door, aero coupe, air, automatic, stereo radio, only 39,000 miles. **ONLY \$5,388**
- 1987 CHEVY SPRINT, AM/FM cassette, auto transmission, one owner, only 21,000 miles, looks brand new. **NOW \$4,595**
- 1986 FORD MUSTANG LX, convertible, automatic, V6, cruise, tape, only 44,000 miles. **REAL BARGAIN--CALL!**
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## 1991-92

### Cultural Events Program

The Crawford AuSable Community Education Cultural Events Program for area residents is in its third year of presentation. Eighteen programs ranging from Travel and Adventure Series to college and university bands from around the State of Michigan perform in the beautiful Joseph Stripe Auditorium at Grayling High School. For the 1991-92 season, there are three distinct series available for area residents: the Travel and Adventure Series (in its 19th season), the Learning Through Music Series (band concerts) and the Command Performance Series (vocal music). Through these offerings, the Community Education Program is pleased to present a variety of entertainment at affordable prices. Below you will find a description of each series along with performance schedules and ticket plans. We hope that this season, you will be able to take advantage of this fine program of events.

#### Learning Through Music Series

The Learning Through Music Series, in its third year features college and university bands from around the State of Michigan. Both small as well as our larger state and private institutions have participated in this program. The series features a variety of music from jazz to symphonic, and occasionally one may even hear the sound of a bagpipe. Last year, audience size averaged 375 people per performance. This series continues to grow in popularity. Seven bands are featured in this series.

- University of Michigan Flint Concert Band**  
Thursday, October 10, 1991
- Eastern Michigan University Concert Winds & Jazz Ensemble**  
Thursday, December 5, 1991
- Michigan State University Symphonic & Jazz Ensemble**  
Thursday, January 30, 1992
- Grayling High School and Other Area Bands**  
Thursday, February 20, 1992
- Central Michigan University Jazz Band**  
Thursday, March 19, 1992
- Alma Kiltie Band**  
Thursday, March 24, 1992
- Western Michigan University Jazz Band**  
Thursday, April 30, 1992

#### Command Performance Series

Designed to appeal to the vocal music enthusiast, this series is in its second year and continues to grow. A variety of performances featuring both professional and non-professional performers appear in this series. Last year, audiences thrilled to the lively sounds of the Oakland University Meadowbrook Estate as well as the 90 member University of Michigan Mens Glee Club, just to name a few. Take a look at the schedule of performances listed below and you will see why we recommend securing your tickets in advance.

- Appearing this season . . .**
- "Main Street" (Variety Show)**  
Thursday, September 26, 1991
- University of Michigan Mens Glee Club with "The Friars"**  
Saturday, December 7, 1991
- Michigan State University Glee Club with "The Discords"**  
Thursday, February 27, 1992
- Michigan Opera Theatre Singers (Broadway Revue)**  
Thursday, May 14, 1992

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The Travel and Adventure Series, in its 19th season, features in-person presentations by world travelers. This series allows the individual to enjoy visiting many parts of the world from the comfort of the theatre seat. Whether you plan to visit some of these countries and would like to preview, or have been there and would like to return, the Travelogues are full of information as well as entertaining.

- Set Sail For . . .**
- September 12, 1991 - Mexico**
- October 3, 1991 - Russia**
- November 14, 1991 - Egypt**
- February 6, 1992 - Nova Scotia**
- March 5, 1992 - Australia**
- April 2, 1992 - Western Potpourri**

#### Season Ticket Order Form

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<b>Season Tickets</b>		<b>Individual Tickets (if available)</b>	
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<input type="checkbox"/> Travel and Adventure	\$15.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Travel & Adventure Senior	\$3.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Concert Series	\$22.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Travel & Adventure Student	\$2.50
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		<input type="checkbox"/> Vocal Series Student	\$3.00

#### Ticket Package Information

There are three levels of support available for the arts as well as season ticket plans. The package information is as follows:

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| <p><b>\$500.00 BENEFACTOR</b> - 6 sets of seasons tickets to Travel, Concert, and Vocal Series.<br/>Name on back of Master Program.<br/>Meet the Artist Reception tickets.</p> <p><b>\$200.00 ASSOCIATE</b> - 4 sets of season tickets to Travel, Concerts, and Vocal Series.<br/>Name on back of Master Program.<br/>Meet the Artist Reception tickets.</p> | <p><b>\$100.00 PATRON</b> - 2 sets of seasons tickets to Travel, Concert, and Vocal Series.<br/>Name on back of Master Program.<br/>Meet the Artist Reception tickets.</p> <p><b>\$50.00 INDIVIDUAL PATRON</b> - 1 set of season tickets to Travel, Concert, and Vocal Series.<br/>Name on back of Master Program.<br/>Meet the Artist Reception tickets.</p> |
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#### ORDER FORM

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

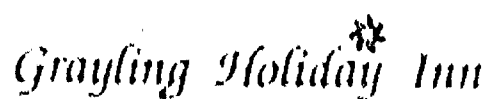
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<input type="checkbox"/> Benefactor	\$500.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Patron	\$100.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Associate	\$200.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Ind. Patron	\$50.00

Mail Ticket Orders To:  
Crawford AuSable Adult & Community Education  
403 Michigan Avenue  
Grayling, Michigan 49738  
Phone: (517) 348-7641 ext. 27

Total Enclosed \_\_\_\_\_

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**SWEARING IN--**Attorney Allen Lowe and Circuit Court Judge Randy Tahvonen, a former Grayling resident, after Lowe's swearing-in ceremony.

## Grayling Native Returns To Practice General Law

Grayling native, Allen Lowe, has opened a law practice at 603 Lake Street, Roscommon. Lowe taught at Onsted High School before beginning a 10-year stint at Immanuel Christian School, Roscommon. He continued teaching at Grove Christian School near St. Johns while he was in law school. He also coached junior varsity basketball there. Being an attorney was something Lowe always wanted to do, he said. He decided to enter law school after researching the process for one of his high school students. Lowe will operate a general law practice in Roscommon.

**Grayling Eagles #3465**  
**Serving Breakfast**  
**Sunday, August 18,**  
**9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.**

MENU		Adults \$3.50
Eggs		
French Toast		Children under 12
Sausage		\$1.00
Discuits & Gravy		
Potatoes		Public Invited

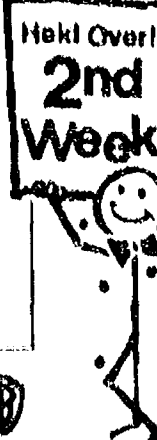
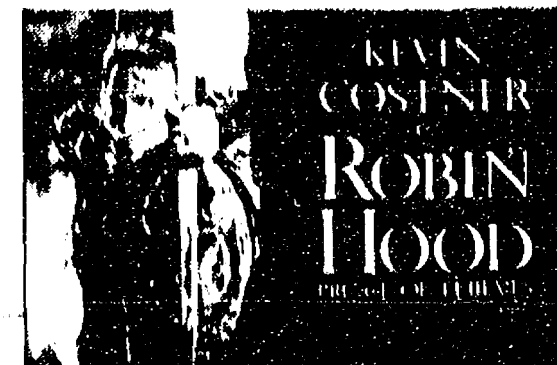
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